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The Pioneer

of

Lebanon High School

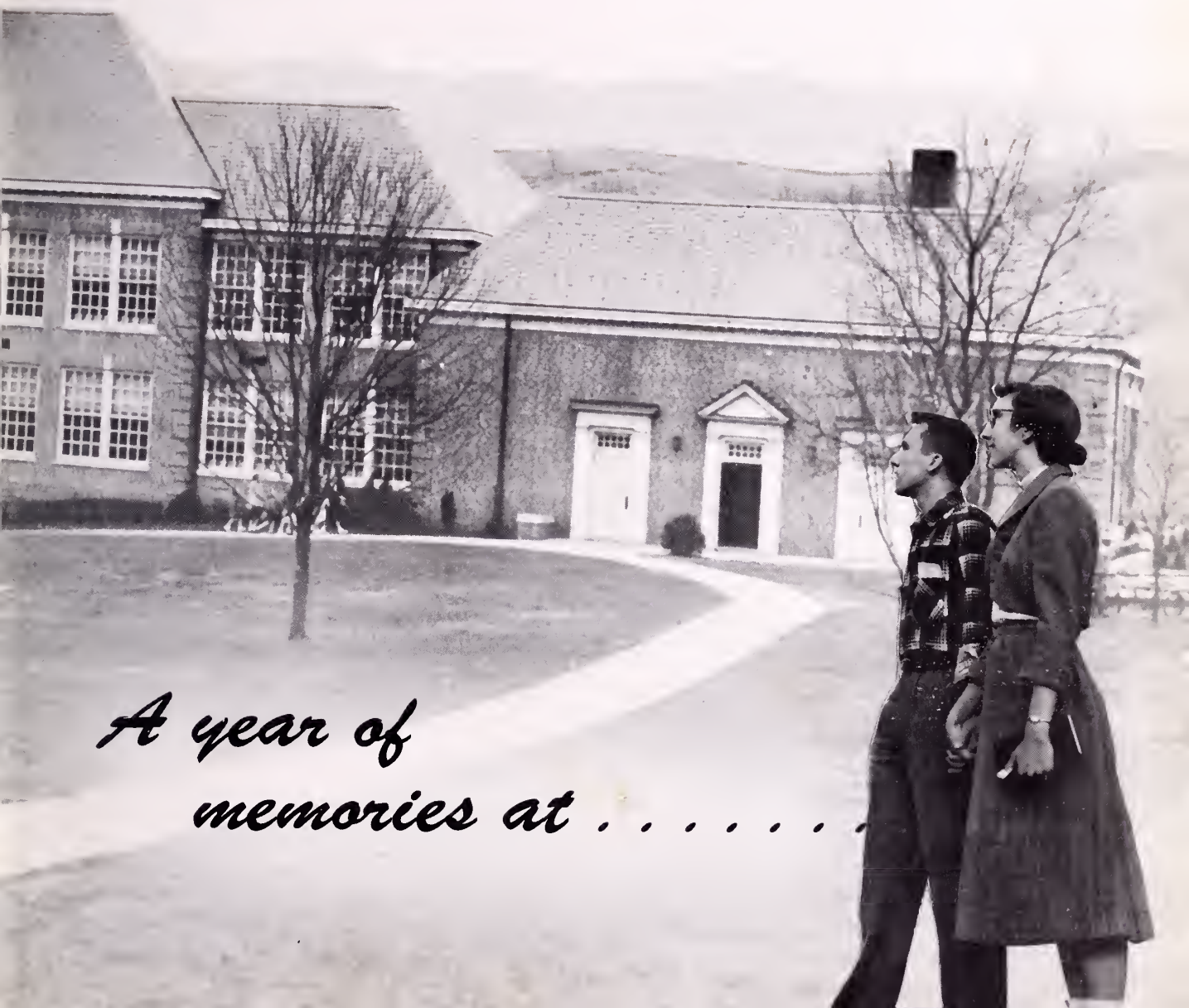
Lebanon, Virginia

Nineteen hundred and fifty-five

Presents

A Story and Close up of





*A year of
memories at*



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Room

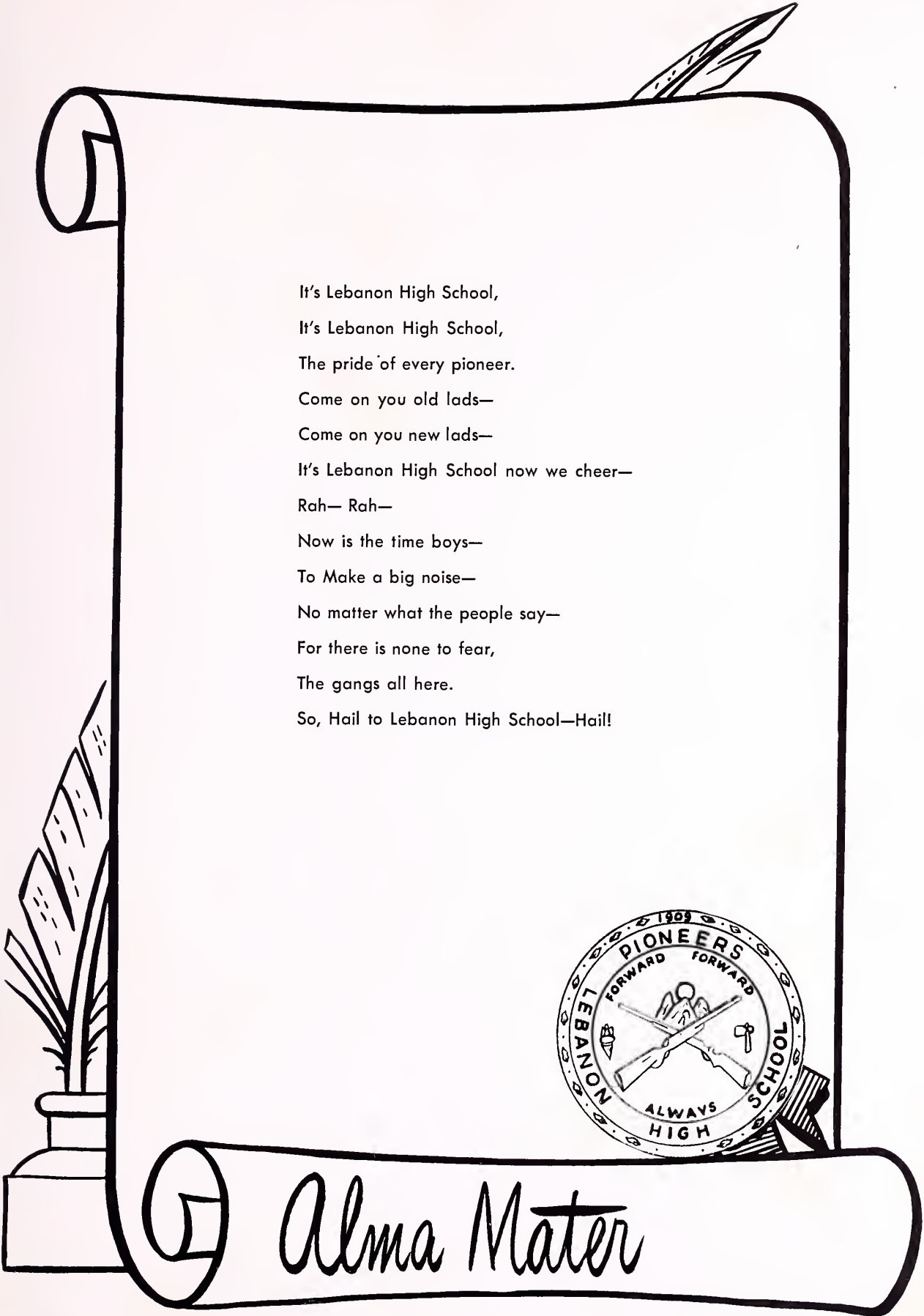
School



The life of Miss Dorothy Laben Fuller may well be compared to a beautiful song which vibrates the very soul. Her stay at Lebanon gave us an insight into true tone and harmony that only the most perfect music could embody. In Miss Fuller we could feel a depth of spirit equaled by few and a close communion with God.

Miss Fuller's untimely departure brought forth the sad note in the song, but many lives have been enriched by her having lived in our midst. The friendship and fellowship she shared with us will always hold a sacred place ————— in memory.

In Memoriam



It's Lebanon High School,
It's Lebanon High School,
The pride of every pioneer.
Come on you old lads—
Come on you new lads—
It's Lebanon High School now we cheer—
Rah— Rah—
Now is the time boys—
To Make a big noise—
No matter what the people say—
For there is none to fear,
The gangs all here.
So, Hail to Lebanon High School—Hail!



Alma Mater

This our year

You **1** may forget the hard work . . . the teachers . . . at least a few of them . . . **9** some names and faces . . . but there are some events and experiences that we, the 1955 **5** Pioneer Staff, feel should glow like undying embers in your memory . . . the teachers who have **5** you for the past four years, the students discussing everyone in school in secret corners, your yearly parties, the senior prom, meetings . . . meetings and more meetings. We wish to make these memories live with you throughout the coming years, brightening your life as only memories of youth can do. We have tried to register the knowledge that you have gotten here, the place that will live forever within you, your own alma-mater:
Lebanon High School.

In This Our Book . . . We Ask

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We Advertise

Pioneer

*This is the
Lebanon
Student
not only for
Today*





*but for
the past
and
the future
as well*



*We the students
who stroll the campus
and . . .*

*experiencing the pride of
achievement or
the humility of failure*



*Playing the game
thrilled by victory, or
saddened by defeat,
we, the Lebanon student . . .*

reminiscentially

dedicate

Our 1955 Pioneer

to

Mrs. Arthur T. Griffith



This honor has been bestowed upon Mrs. Griffith because of her pleasant personality and the genuine interest that she has taken in the students of Lebanon High School.



*Is it the
Leaders Who Guide Us?
Administration
and Faculty*

Superintendent



George H. Givens, B.A., M.A.

Mr. George H. Givens came to our County as a high school principal in 1923. In 1928 he became the Superintendent of Schools. He has remained in this position until the present. Under his supervision the schools have made rapid progress.

Board of Education



FIRST ROW—left to right: K. O. Hartsock, Frank Harr, Elwood Bausell, George A. Bundy, Roscoe Musick, J. J. Fugage, Paul Brown. SECOND ROW: Hamilton Wade, Virginia Combs, Supt. G. H. Givens.

Principal

Mr. George Ben Whited came to us ten years ago as a teacher in our high school department. This year he became our principal. He is to be congratulated for the fine work that he is doing.



George Ben Whited, A.B.

Assist. Principal



Mrs. Eugene Vicars

Supervisors



**Charles McFarlane
Jack Renick**

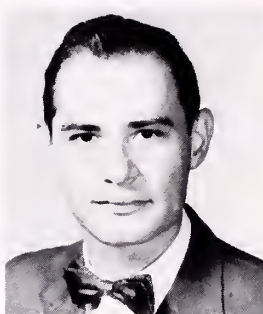
Secretary



Nancy Ketron



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Band and Chair

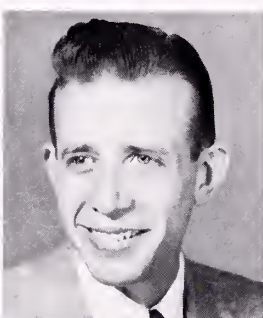


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B.A.
Bookkeeping, Hist. and Phy. Ed.



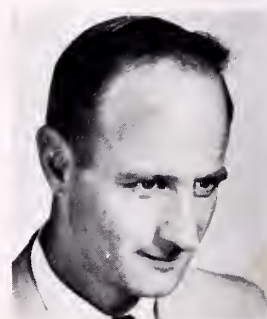
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Business Education



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Dri. Ed., Hist., Science and Phy. Ed.



MRS. EUGENE VICARS
B.S.
English



MRS. FRANK TAYLOR
Seventh Grade



MRS. ROY SMITH
Seventh Grade

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MRS. CATHERINE BOWEN
B.S.
English



MRS. CLARENCE C. BUNDY, JR.
A.B.
Science and Biology



MRS. JAMES GILMER
A.B.
History, Chemistry and Speech



MRS. CHARLES H. GILMER
History and Journalism



MRS. G. H. GIVENS
A.B.
Mathematics



MRS. DON RICE
B.S.
History and Phy. Ed.



TAYLOR SKEEN
B.S.
Agriculture



MILDRED TATE
B.S.
Home Economics



MRS. ALFRED DICKENSON
Sixth Grade



MRS. IRA QUILLEN
Sixth Grade



MABEL CAMPBELL
Fifth Grade

The Faculty



MRS. JOE DUFF
Fifth Grade



MRS. EMMETT BUCKLES
Fourth Grade



MARGARET HARGIS
Fourth Grade



MRS. RUSSELL DICKENSON
Third Grade



MRS. GEORGE B. WHITED
Third Grade



MRS. PERRY GILLESPIE
Second Grade



MARY ROBINSON
Second Grade



MRS. CARRIE WARNER
First Grade



LENA JOHNSON
First Grade



Is it what

we learn

The Classes

To The Classes

It is hard to believe that those sophisticated seniors were once wide-eyed, bewildered freshmen. The seniors preparing to assume leadership in the future awaiting them, the juniors almost to the place where they put on their robes of seniority, the sophomores with much accomplished and so much yet to do, and the freshmen, eager and hopeful, optimistic of what lies ahead.

Every year each class moves forward; the juniors to the ruling class, the sophomores to the class in which they see that long awaited year isn't far off. The freshmen, gay and excited, move on to the sophomore year where they are undecided as to their importance. Finally the seniors, saying farewell to these underclassmen, with never a backward glance as they enter the gates of Memory Lane.

Is it the Seniors?



Left to right: Velva Worsham, Reporter; Billy McFarlane, Secretary and Treasurer; Dorothy Fanis, President; Ann Wysor, Vice President.

Seniors

Four years ago we entered Lebanon High School as freshmen. We felt frightened and uncertain, yet we were growing up and no longer children. As the year passed we became better acquainted with our classmates and teachers and began to enjoy our new year of school.

In our sophomore year, we were eligible to join the various clubs of our school. We began thinking what we would do after graduation and chose our subjects so that our courses might help us in preparing for work after we completed high school.

The highlights of our junior year were the Junjor-Senior Party and the arrival of our rings. These rings made us more conscious of our duty for soon we were to become dignified seniors with much more responsibility.

As seniors we took our studies more seriously, as we looked forward to graduation and college. We also awaited the day when we would measure for our caps and gowns since that meant that school was closing. The inspiration we received from our commencement speaker gave us courage to go out as better citizens.

President



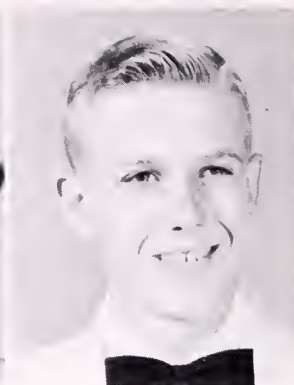
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BURDETTE

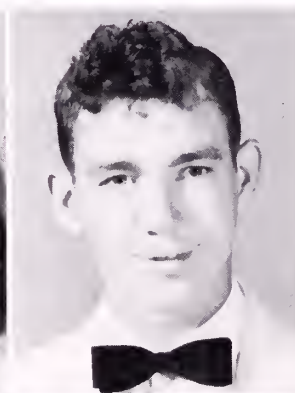


TOMMY COWAN
BURNS

Seniors



BETTY ANNE
CAMPBELL



DONNIE ALLEN
CAMPBELL



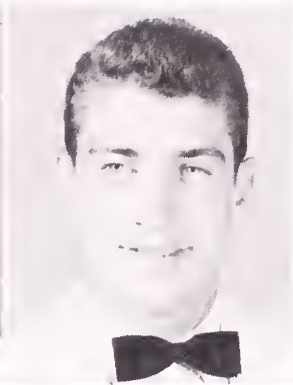
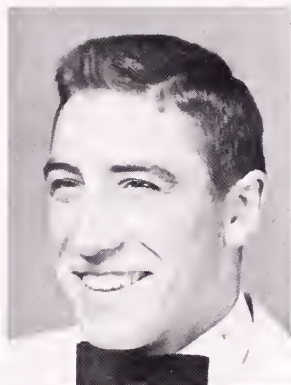
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CHAFIN

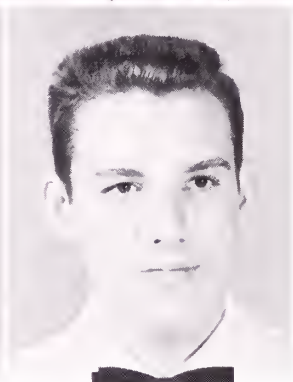
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DONALD GENE
CROSS



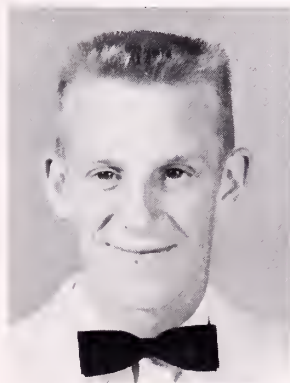
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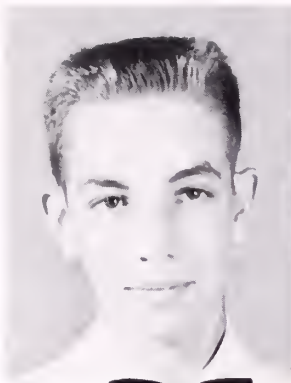
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DAWSON

GENEVA
DEAN





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EDWARDS



DOROTHY YVONNE
FANIS



VIOLETTA LYNNE
FARMER

Seniors



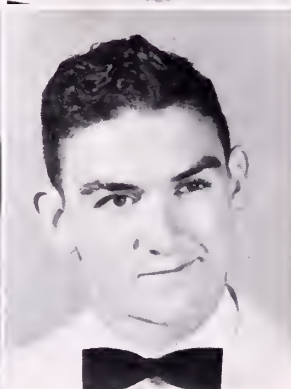
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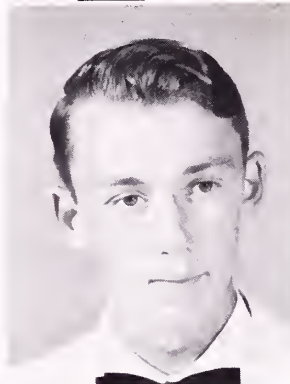
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BETTY MARIE
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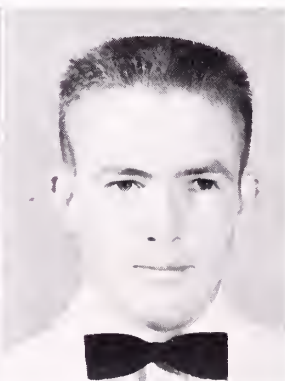
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LINDA LEE
JENKS

BETTY ANN
JOHNSON

ANNA RUTH
KING

BILLY FRANK
LITTON





ERMA LORENA
LITTON



ANNA JAMES
McCLOUD



JOHN LUTHER
McFADDIN



WILLIAM B.
McFARLANE, JR.

Seniors



CHARLES JEFFERSON
McFARLANE



BARBARA BRADLEY
McREYNOLDS



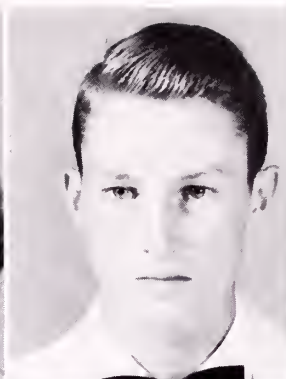
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SHIRLEY FRANCES
OWENS

CHARLOTTE CHRISTINE
PATRICK



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PATSY ANN
PLESS

BETTY LOU
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PEGGY RUTH
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MARLYNN
PRICE





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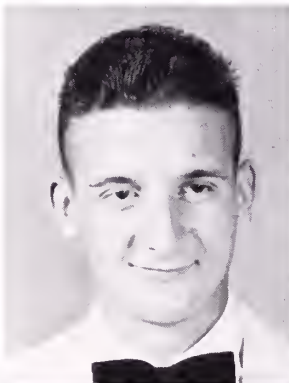


WILMA JEAN
SMITH



MARY LOU
SNEAD

Seniors



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STAPLETON



MARLYNN SUE
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CHARLENE JESSEE
SUTTON



ANNA RUTH
SWORD

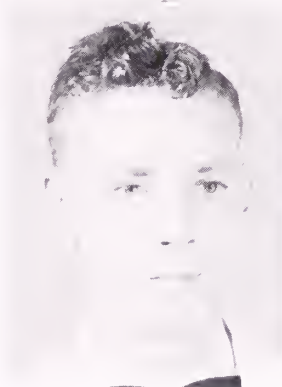
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BENJAMIN FLEM
VALLEY



LLOYD WHITLEY
WILLIAMS

VELVA FLORENCE
WORSHAM



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EDITH ANN
WYSOR



Class Colors
Blue and Gold
Class Flower
Yellow Rose

Here and There



Is it the Juniors?



Left to right: Fayne Farmer, Reporter; Jo Boyd, Vice President; Charles Bundy, President; Patsy Combs, Secretary and Treasurer.

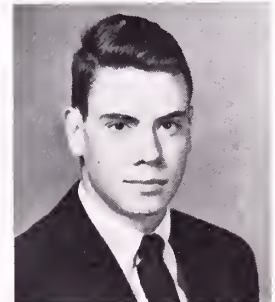
Juniors

Three short years ago we entered the High School department of Lebanon. Yes, we entered wide-eyed and wondering. What could lie before us, what would be our difficulties, our problems, our sorrows and our joys?

All too soon we found the answers to these questions. We found and solved our difficulties and problems. The sorrows were few and easily surpassed. The joys . . . numberless and seemingly unending.

Now we are facing our final year; with hope and with regret. Hope that the senior year will be as delightful as the year before, and regret that this will be our last. We hope that we will have left something of value to the Juniors of tomorrow.

President



CHARLES BUNDY

Juniors



FIRST ROW

Helen Amos
 Robert Boardwine
 Josephine Boyd

Buddy Brooks
 Arlene Brown
 Patty Browning

SECOND ROW

Barbara Bundy
 Charles Bundy
 Robert Burdette

Alfred Campbell
 Betty Jo Campbell
 Don Campbell

THIRD ROW

Ruby Carty
 Olline Castle
 Glenna Clark

Patsy Combs
 Faye Cross
 Betty Ann Davis

FOURTH ROW

Jaunita Davis
 Louise Dickenson
 Betty Duty

Fayne Farmer
 Jack Farmer
 Barbara Faulkner



FIRST ROW

Kenneth Ferguson
Buford Fields
Shelby Fields

G. B. Fletcher
Janice Francisco
Rachael Gibson

SECOND ROW

Eva Gilbert
Phyllis Gray
Shirley Hagy

Betty J. Hale
Glenna Hannah
Frances Hanson

THIRD ROW

Walter Harcum
Raymond Harrison
Jane Hawkins

Teddy Hawkins
Doris J. Herndon
Evelyn Hubbard

FOURTH ROW

Peggy Jackson
Johnny Jenks
Betty J. Jessee

Billy Jessee
Louise Jessee
Paul Jessee



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Juniors



FIRST ROW

Anne Johnson
 Dickie Johnson
 Harry L. Johnson

David Leonard
 James Lyons
 Kenneth Martin

SECOND ROW

Shelby Nickels
 Mattie Nipper
 Annette Orr

Joyce Orr
 Robert Osborne
 Doris Owens

THIRD ROW

Jaunita Owens
 Betty Peck
 Jimmy Perry

Patsy Phelps
 Oscar Price
 Lee Proffitt

FOURTH ROW

Shirley Rasnake
 Evelyn Raye
 Irene Robinson

Sue Robinson
 Betty Shoemaker
 Carl Shoemaker



FIRST ROW

Thomas Smith
Cecil Snead
Leon Sword

Hal Tate
E. J. Vencille
Velma Vencille

SECOND ROW

Shirley Wallace
Nancy Warner
Emma B. White

Paige White
Edda J. Yates
Clyde Yates



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Campus Personalities

Junior Runners-up

MOST STUDIOUS



Glenna Hannah
Fayne Farmer

MOST POPULAR



Evelyn Ray
Charles Bundy

ROMEO AND JULIET



Betty Ann Davis
Jim Perry

MOST VERSATILE



Betty Duty
Charles Bundy

MOST ARTISTIC



Velma Vencille
Kenneth Ferguson

FRIENDLIEST



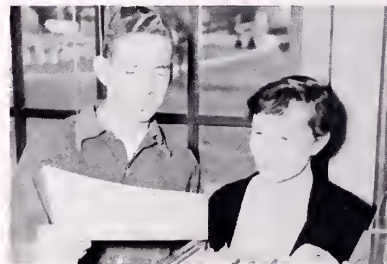
Jo Boyd
Jahnnny Jenks

NEATEST



Ann Johnson
Jahnnny Jenks

MOST DEPENDABLE



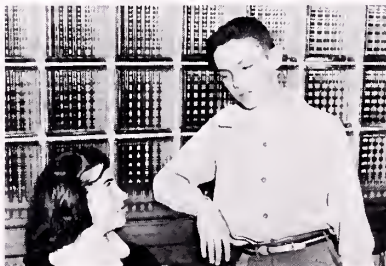
Jo Boyd
Fayne Farmer

MOST ATHLETIC



Emma B. White
Kenneth Ferguson

MOST DRAMATIC



Glenna Hannah
Harry L. Johnson

MOST LADYLIKE
MOST GENTLEMANLIKE



Betty Duty
Charles Bundy

Is it the Sophomores?



FIRST ROW—Left to right: Frances Mast, President; Jimmy Elliott, Vice President; Catherine Jackson, Secretary and Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Jeff Boyd, Reporter; Tony Frye, Sergeant at arms.

Sophomores

As we, the sophomore class rise to the dizzy heights of upperclassmen, we zealously go to work with a new "lute." We disregard each and every pioneering note played by us as freshmen and with pride we launch ourselves on the second rung of the ladder of education.

We find ourselves well counseled by our efficient sponsors Mrs. Givens, Miss Fleenor and Mr. Flannagan.

The highlight of our sophomore year was the "Class Party", given after the turn of the year and with examinations over we feel nearer and nearer our Junior year when we will "take over" advanced upperclassmanship in a big way.

President

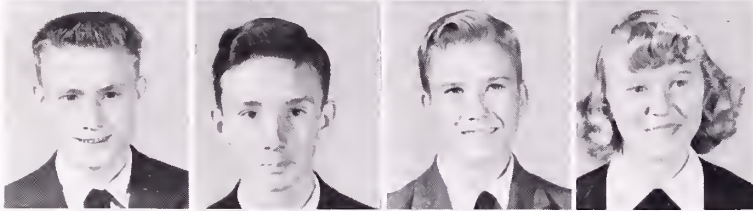


FRANCES MAST

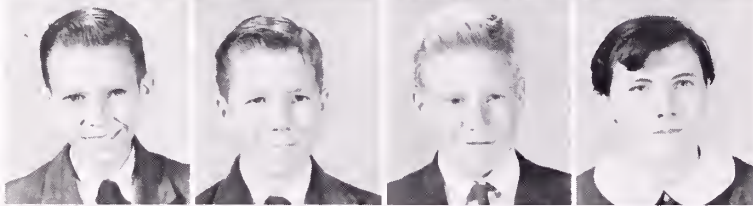
Sophomores



Kenneth Addison
Evelyn Bateman
 Frances Baugh
Jeff Boyd



James Bowles
 George Breeding
Giles Burdette
Janice Burns



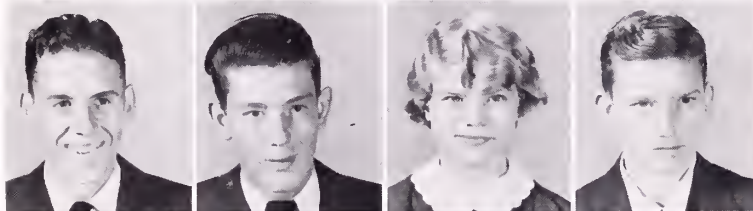
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 Mike Cumbow



Howard Davis
 Phyllis Dawson
 David Dean
 Carrie L. Dixon



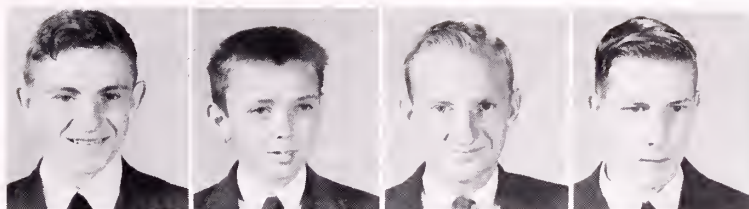
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 Billy Edwards
 Oscar Edwards



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 Wilma Fanis
 Barbara Fields
 Bessie Fields

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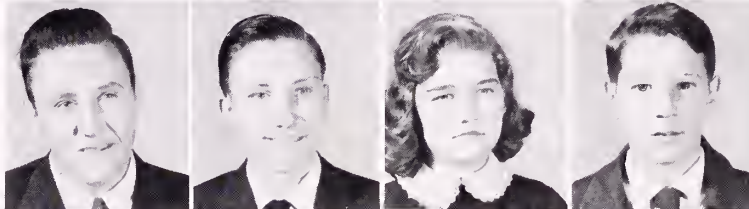
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James Griffith
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 Mary Harmon
 Lillian Hartsock



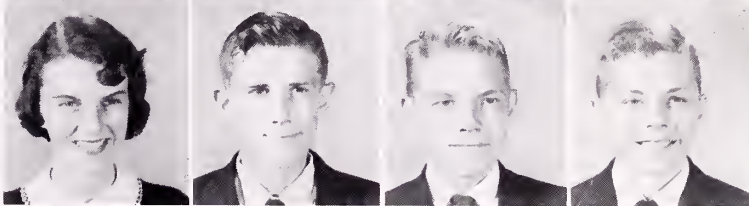
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Howard Holland
 Emma Sue Holmes
 Dallas Hubble



Kenneth Hughes
Iris Hughes
 Robert Hughes
 Lois Holmes



Catherine Jackson
Roy Jackson
 James Jessee
 Kent Lee Jessee



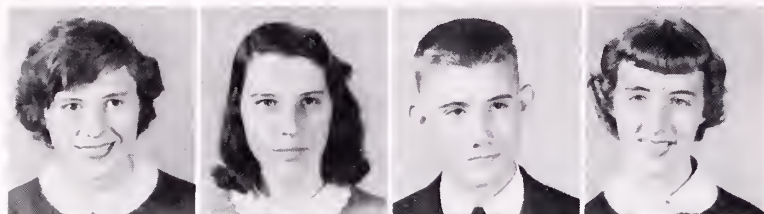
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 Pearl Lineberry
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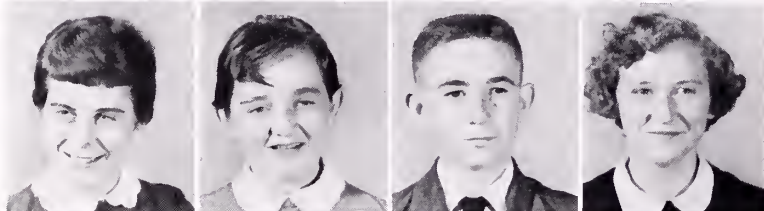
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 Daphne McCloud
 John McCracken



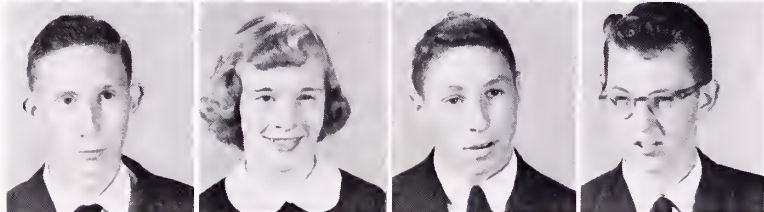
Sophomores



Betty McFaddin
Phyllis McFaddin
Danny McReynolds
Nancy McReynolds



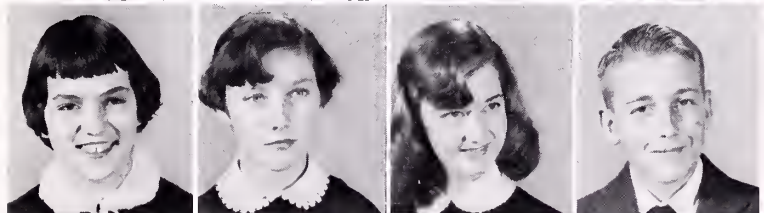
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Bobby Morrison
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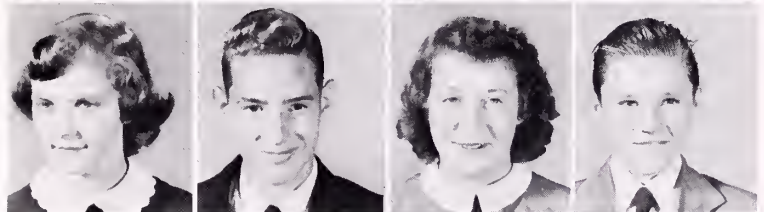
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Jean Poston



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Willis Rasnake



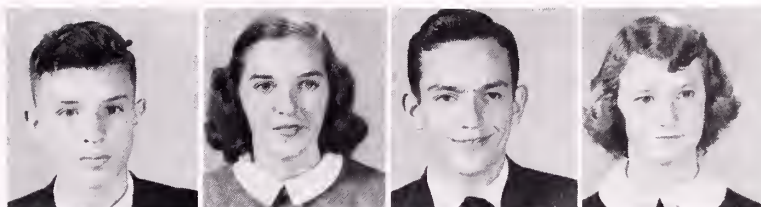
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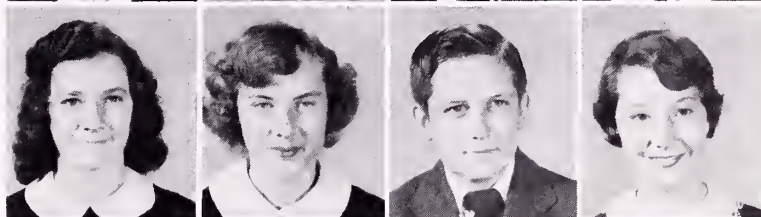
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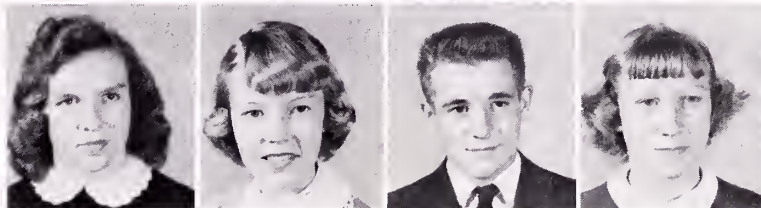
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Our Sophomores



Is it the Freshmen?



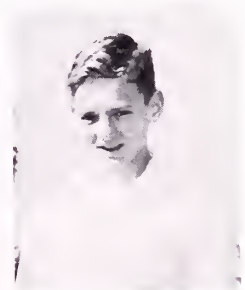
Left to right: Mary Jane Howard, Treasurer; Shirley Smith, Vice President; Shirley Harrison, Secretary and Reporter; Robert Pruner, President.

Freshmen

"Thou lowly creature" never again shall we hear this, for next year we gain a higher role in the life of Lebanon High School. We experienced strange feelings as we had our first glances at the rooms in which we would attend classes for four years. At our first assembly program we first began to feel the spirit of Lebanon High.

We have no doubt that our three remaining years will be as happy and eventful as our first year has been.

President



ROBERT PRUNER



Jesse Alderson
Rebecca Alderson
Bessie Barnette

Carl Bevins
Don Barnette

James Boardwine
Betty Booher
Judy Booher

Ann Booth
Bobby Booth

Tommy Boyd
Aline Breeding
J. E. Breeding

Martha Breeding
Peggy Breeding

Connie Brooks
G. I. Brown
Larry Brown

Madine Buckles
Willie Buckles

Wanda Buckles
Charlotte Burns
Evelyn Burns

Tommy Campbell
Robert Carpenter

Eva Sue Castle
Mervin Casey
Danny Chapman

Ruth Clark
Betty Sue Clark

Joe Clark
Jimmy Combs
Willie Combs

Dan Cooke
Jewel Cooke

Robert Cooke
Ted Cross
Eva Cox

Billy Cox
Robert Davis

Shirley Davis
Jimmy Duty
Don Easterly

Ginny Easteridge
Margaret Elam

Bobby Fields
Jimmy Fields
James Fields

Leon Fields
Margaret Fields

Freshmen

Ben Francisco
Janie Fugate
Roger Garrett

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Norma Hagy

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Judy Hartsock
Clinton Hedrick

Jo Ann Hess
Henry Holmes
Mabel Holmes

Mary J. Howard
Merlie Hubble
Pauline Hughes

Janice Jessee
Jeff Jessee
Mary C. Jessee

Andrew Lester
Gene Lester
Louise Lester

Greta McFarlane
J. P. Mercer
Margaret Minton

Danny Mutter
Bonnie Nash
Betty Nipper

Newton Peck
Paul Phelps
C. A. Pratt

Anne Gilbert
Foy Glenn

Nancy Harcum
Geraldine Harrison

Jean Helton
Ida Hess

Bobby Holt
Roland Honaker

Shirley Hughes
Bernard Jessee

Richard Jessee
Frances Jones

Arlene Lineberry
Guy McFaddin

Gene Monk
Stevie Monk

Alice Orr
Ralph Osborne

Thomas Profitt
Robert Pruner



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Bobby Raines
Loretta Ratliff
Norma Ratliff

Kitty Renick
Millie Reynolds

Clyde Richardson
Wilmer Robins
Harlowe Robins

Maggie Salyers
Marvin Settle

Eugene Shoemaker
James Slate
Mattie Slate

Billie Smith
Shirley Smith

Ann Statzer
Patsy Stinson
Tyler Snead

Bobby Sword
Harry Sword

Lynda Sword
Jean Sykes
Gay N. Tate

Danny Taylor
Harvey Taylor

Patsy Taylor
Robert Walls
Anna L. Warner

Bruce Warner
Oleane Warner

Anne Whited
Robert White
Tyler Whited

Susan Williams
Virginia Williams

Nell Wise

Freshmen

The Grades



Seventh Grade



Brenda Baker
Helen Barton
Mildred Barton
Paula Barton

Larry Bausell
Robert Bausell
Edda L. Bowles
Wanda Burdette



Jimmy Bussey
Preston Bussey
Dwight Cook
Joyce Cook

Leonard Cook
Lester Cook
Lynda Chafin
Edgar Davis



Carl Dye
Roy Dye
Bobby Edmonds
Roger Edmonds

Geraldine Farmer
Kenneth Farmer
Tildon Farmer
Mary Ferguson



Graham Fields
Tresa Fields
David Fuller
Barbara Gobble

Fannie Gobble
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Charlie Grace
Bill Gray



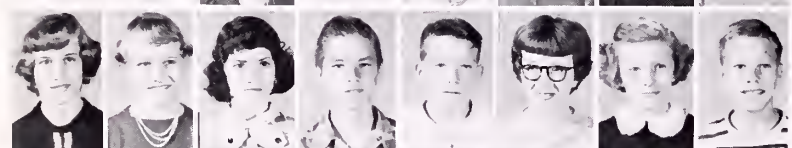
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Jimmy Jackson
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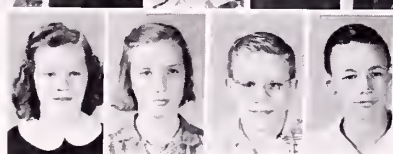
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Nancy Puckett
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George A. Robinson
Sammy Slate

Thelma Statzer
Shirley Stoots
Wylodean Sutton
Patsy Sword



Janice Taylor
Betty Terry

Guy Tignor
Perry Warner

Sixth Grade

Nancy Alexander
Gene Atrip
Eddie Ashbrook
James Ashbrook

Trigg Barton
Fay Brooks
Larry Buckles
Patty S. Buckles

Betty Burke
Jimmy Burns
Philip Burdette
Nancy Campbell

Dewey Chaffin
Peggy Chafin
Ellen Clark
Mildred Clark

Trigg Clark
Geraldine Coleman
Peggy Combs
Brenda Cooke

John Cook
Ray Cook
Woodrow Cozzolino
Gail Davis

Ruby Edwards
Johnny Fanis
James Faulkner
Adron Ferguson

Burford Ferguson
Dave Fields
Janice Fields
Linda Fields

Maraget Fields
Betty Garrett
Nancy Garrett
Shirley Garrett

V. W. Garrett
Jimmy Gibson
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Joanne Gilmer

Phyllis Gibson
Jimmy Givens
Jerry Hale
Susie Hall

Russell Harmon
Betty Helton
Conley Hess
Mary Sue Hess

Harry Horne
Sue Howard
Clair M. Hughes
J. D. Hughes

Sue Ella Hughes
Elizabeth Jackson
Judy Jackson
Jeanette Johnson

Betty Kennedy
Dollen King
Louise Lasley
Robert Lasley

Virginia Lasley
Larry Martin
Gerald Miller
Harry Monk

Patsy McReynolds
Tyler Patrick
Jane Perry
Mack Perry

Donna Porterfield
Kenneth Price
Nancy Price
Joe Pruner

Billy Pugh
Geneva Rasnake
Larry Rasnake
Arch Robins

Carol Snead
Jean Snead
Billy Sharrett
Judy Sweeney

J. D. Vicars
Jackie Walls
Richard White

Cordell Yates
James Yates



Fifth Grade



Carol Alexander
Harvelene Barton
Jo Ann Barton
Betty Boyd

Connie Bowles
James Bragg
Nellie Breeding
Ronnie Brown

Nancy Buckles
Betty J. Chafin
Loucreta Chafin
Dello Combs

Zan Combs
Betty Jo Cook
Linca Cook
Betty Davis

Danny Davis
Judy Davis
Charles Davis
Lloyd Elswick

Richard Fanis
Doris A. Farmer
Garland Farmer
Gay Nell Farmer

Gary Farmer
James Ferrell
Cornelia Fields
Wilson Fields

Beckey Fuller
William Fuller
Giles Gibson
Betty Gilmer

Giles Gilmer
Virginia Gray
Dan Gross
Noel Hale

Frankie Hanson
Peggy Harmon
Jimmy Hawkins
Linda Hawkins

Billy Hedrick
Pat Holiday
Patty S. Honaker
James Horne

Darrell Hughes
Jack Hughes
Carolyn Hurt
Frances Jessee

Preston Jessee
Betty Johnson
Margaret Johnson
Alma Jean Keene

Martha Kiser
Millard Kiser
Jan McReynolds
Louise Mitchell

Patsy Mitchell
Allen Monk
Brenda Monk
Emma S. Morrison

Janice Morrison
Florine Musick
Hallie Mutter
Dale Orr

Jimmy Phelps
Billy Price
Kenneth Puckett
Gaynelle Rasnake

Alice Richardson
Betty Joe Richardson
Deloris Robins
Eugene Robinson

James Robinson
Orville Sims
Betty Slate
Eddie Stewart

Billy Sword
Roger Sword
Margaret Thomas
Billy Warner

Albert White
Roberta Yates
Billy Younce

Fourth Grade

James Alexander
Imogene Bragg
Teddy Brooks
Susan Bundy

Junior Clark
Frances Combs
James A. Combs
Lois Cook

Gail Davis
Eufola Dingus
Sylvia Dingus
Margaret Duty

Virginia Fuller
Billy Gobble
Giles Gray
Preston Griffith

Harvey Huffman
Carolyn Hughes
Bailey Jackson
Marlyn Jackson

Emma Johnson
Janice Johnson
Robert Johnson
Bobby Lampkins

Cray Merriel
Robert Mutter
Jack Nash
Linda Orr

Wilma Puckett
Ole Renick
Sylvia Renick
Stephen Rich

Harvey Smith
James Steele
Alice Stewart
Billy Stoots

George Taylor
Teddy White
George Whited, Jr.

Lois Burke
Amelia Burns
Ann Casey
Jackie Chafin

Margaret Cook
Paul Cook
Shirley Cross
Richard Cozzolino

John Elliott
Elizabeth Elswick
George Faulkner
Buddy Fields

Benny Gross
Ronnie Harmon
Lewis Hess
Connie Hester

Frances Jessee
J. R. Jessee
Linda Jessee
Taulbee Jessee

Genieve Lasley
Linda Lowe
Janice Lyttle
Ann McReynolds

John Perry
Elizabeth Powers
Mary Lee Price
Jennie Lou Pruner

Freddie Ring
Marie Robbins
Lois Robinson
Richard Sims

Allen Sword
James Allen Sword
Jaunita Tankersly
Onedia Tankersly

Roselee Richardson
Sammy Williams
Robert Yates



Third Grade



Dorothy Alderson
Kemper Alexander
Jerry Artrip
Peggy Artrip

Lewis Barton
Eva Lou Blevins
Ida Bragg

Thomas Brabson
Brenda Buckles
Duane Buckles
Vera Carty

Janice Chafin
Douglas Clark
Sandra Clark

Jerry Cooke
Starr Counts
Fern Davis
Elmer Dingus

Brenda Fields
Frances Fields
Tommy Fuller

Eddie Garrett
Linda Gibson
Bobby Gilmer
Kemper Gilmer

Junior Gobble
Thomas Griffith
Johnny Hargis

Allen Helton
Bruce Hubbard
Ora Hubbard
Nancy Hubble

Leonard Huffman
Nancy Hughes
Charles Hurt

Ann Jackson
Clara Jessee
Robby Jessee
Geraldine Johnson

Smith Johnson
Edd Kegley
J. W. King

Preston King
Jackie Lasley
Jean Lasley
Rufus Lasley

Raymond Little
Martha Mutter
Flora B. Nash

Ronnie Parks
Gay Patrick
Virginia Phelps
Alice Polk

Louise Price
Michael Puckett
Robert Puckett

Chad Robinson
Janice Robinson
Diana Smith
Eddie Stampleton

Roger Taylor
Remley Thomas
Frances Tignor

L. F. Valley
Charles Walls
Roger Walls

Dallas White
Billie Wolfe
Katie Lee Wolfe

Second Grade

Ann Boyd
James Breeding
Johnny Breeding
Roger Breeding

Bobby Brown
Ann Burns
Lynn Campbell

Caroll Clark
Truman Combs
Barbara Cook
Patty S. Cook

Shirley Cook
Portia Cumbow
Dennis Davis

Roy Dingus
Bernard Dye
Anna L. Farmer
Roger Garrett

James Gilmer
Mary Gobble
Walter Gobble

Stephen Goodwin
Carolyn Gross
Kelly Hale
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Margaret Howard
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Larry Jackson
Betsy Jenks

Richard Jessee
Stanny Jessee
Nancy Johnson

Robert Johnson
Don Kegley
Jane Kiser
Claude Lasley

Linda Lasley
Patricia Lyons
Cathryn Mays

Stafford Mitchell
Larry Morrison
Wayne Nash
Mona Noblitt

Johnny Perry
Lynda Perry
Rebecca Powers

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Nyoka Puckett
Phillip Puckett
Allen Rasnake

Brenda Rasnake
Eula Richardson
Connie Robertson

Robert Robinson
Barbara Short
George Slate
Larry Snead

Lynda Snead
Brady Stewart
Jimmie Sutherland

Elizabeth Sword
Don Taylor
Cheryl Thomas
Osia Thomas

Joan Tignor
Phillis Tignor
Burl Yates

Tommy Yates
Kenneth Walls
Linda Watkins
Curtis White

Linda White
Paul White
Barbara Williams



First Grade



Daryl Aistrap
Giles Alexander
Hester Barton
James Barton

Georgie Bordwine
Ronnie Boardwine
Roy Booher
Connie Bowen

Sandra Bowles
Vivian Breeding
Jane Brooks
Don Burke

Jimmy Burke
Sue Burke
Bobby Chafin
Johnny Chafin

Dale Clark
Ethel Clark
Paul Clark
Randell Combs

Jimmy Cook
Ronald Cuzzolino
Carolyn Davis
Lester Davis

Dorothy Duty
James Duty
Ethel Dye
Bonnie Fields

Dean Fields
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Sue Garrett
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Jackie Gilbert
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Billy Gobble
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Arnold Griffith
Charles Hargis, Jr.
Rebecca Hayter
Harry Helton

Kenneth Helton
Billy Hess
Karen Holiday
Larry Holmes

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Jerry Jackson
Linda Jessee
Sally Jessee

Joyce Johnson
Richard Johnson
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Dello King
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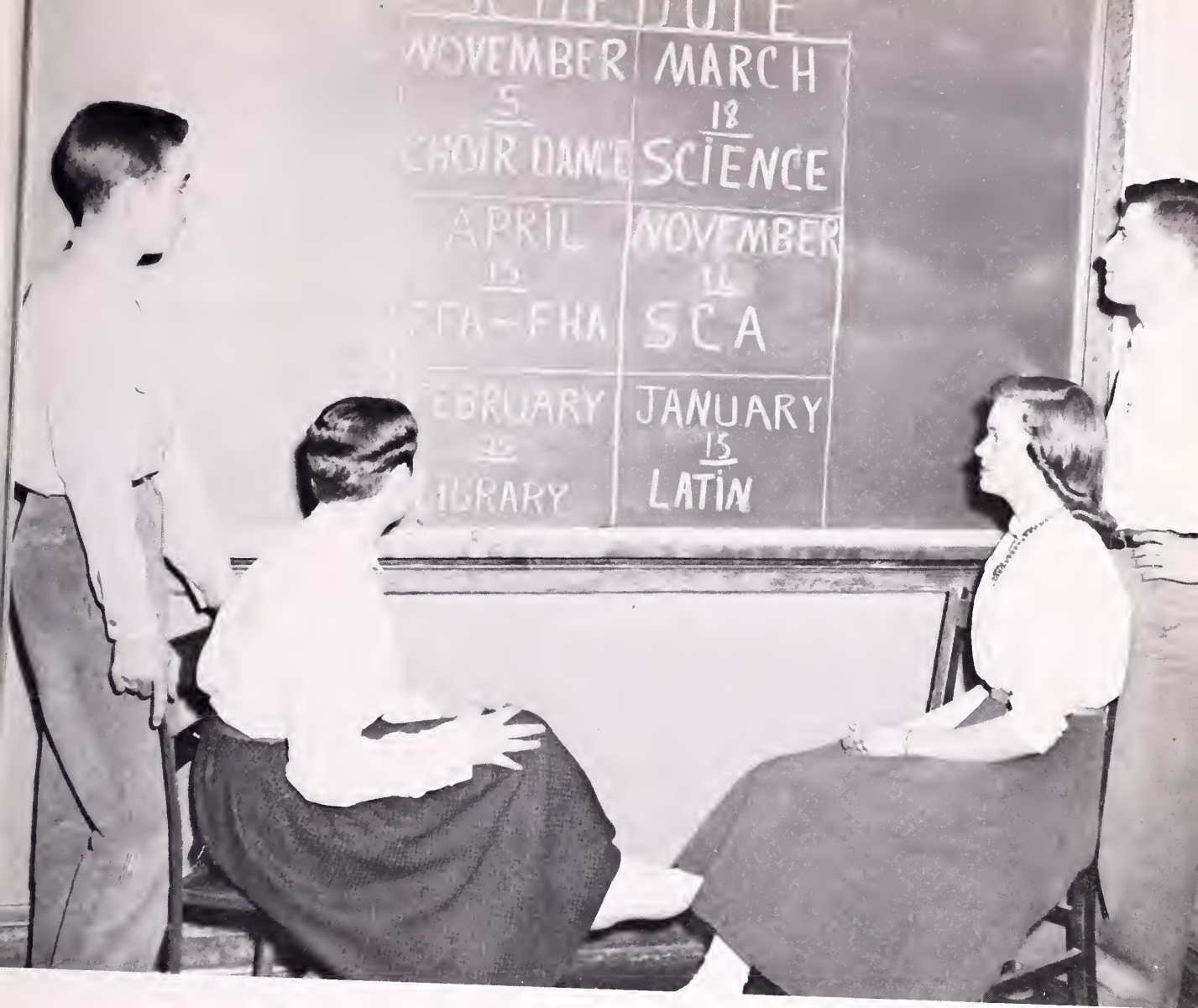
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Herman Walls

Sue Warner
David White
Lettie Wolfe
Molly Yates



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how we participate

Clubs and Activities

Parent Teacher's Association



Left to right: Mr. Jock B. Renick, Vice President, Mr. Lacy G. Robinson, President. Not pictured: Sect. Mrs. L. McReynolds, Treas. Mrs. Mink Farmer.



President
MR. LACY G. ROBINSON

This organization welcomes into membership parents, teachers, and all other citizens interested in the welfare of children and youth. It is a self-governing unit that plans its programs and activities to meet the needs of its youth.

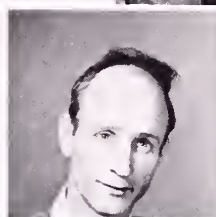
Some of the objectives of the association are to foster character education and to help the school in developing the students physically, mentally, and socially.

Monogram Club

The Monogram Club is a club composed of students who have earned a school letter or an athletic award. This year's club is composed of 15 members. The Pres. is Linda Jenks, Vice Pres. Betty Duty, Sect. & Treas. Velva Worsham.

The club has several objectives for the year, the most important being purchasing materials to beautify our auditorium. Our project to secure the necessary funds is the selling of ice cream.

The sponsor is BUDDY POOLE.



Sponsor



President
LINDA JENKS



FIRST ROW—left to right: Betty Buty, Linda Jenks, Velva Worsham. SECOND ROW: Frances Mast, Phyllis Gray, Patty Shrader, Ja Boyd, Glenna Hannah, Olline Castle, Walter Harcum, Jimmy Elliott. THIRD ROW: Elwaad Morrison, Charles Bundy, Jimmy Bowles, Fayne Farmer.

Library Club



FIRST ROW—left to right: B. Jessee, L. Campbell, C. Yates, J. Francisca, L. Dickensan, E. Raye, C. Burdette, D. Fanis, W. Fanis, S. Fields, M. Snead, C. Dixon, L. Jessee. SECOND ROW: B. Powers, V. Farmer, R. Bartan, L. Hartsack, L. Patrick, B. Skeen, L. Brooks, E. Hubbard, C. Jackson, B. Faulkner, B. Hubbard, D. Tignar, L. Breeding. THIRD ROW: A. King, P. Rasnake, O. Castle, P. Dawsan, J. Davis, B. Garrett, N. Jessee, G. Breeding, D. McReynolds, C. Bundy, J. Bayd, Jr. Davis, N. McReynolds, F. Hansan, J. Bawles, G. Dean.

The objectives of this club are many, but perhaps foremost is that of stimulating interest in reading, to provide the best in reading materials and a place for leisure reading. Its members wish to cooperate and to help students in every way possible to enrich their school life.

The sponsor of this club is Trula Glenn Fleenor, our librarian.



Sponsor



President
Charles Burdette

French Club

La Cercle Francais

La Devise: "For our instruction and our amusement."

Les Couleurs: Red, white, and blue.

La Fleur: The lily.

La Sponsaire: Mrs. C. C. Bundy, Jr.



Sponsor



President
Evelyn Ray



FIRST ROW—left to right: Lillian Hortsock, Genevieve White, Corrie Lee Dixon, Evelyn Hubbard, Louise Jessee, Doris Owens, Leodo Potrick, Patsy Morrison. SECOND ROW: James Griffith, Mory Frances Sanders, Bobby Morrison.

Future Homemakers of America



FIRST ROW—left to right: Morilyn Price, Anno Ruth King, Louise Dickenson, Olline Castle. SECOND ROW: Roso L. Steele, Jone Howkins, Louise Taylor, Russell Barton, Shelby Fields. THIRD ROW: Pearl Lineberry, Lindo Brooks, Nell Nickels, Dee Dowson. FOURTH ROW: Genevo Deon, Phyllis Dawson, Doro Tignor.

Future Homemakers of America is the national organization of pupils who study home-making.

It has eight purposes:

1. To promote a growing appreciation of the joys and satisfactions of homemaking.
2. To emphasize the importance of worthy home membership.
3. To encourage democracy in home and community life.
4. To work for good home and family life for all.
5. To promote international good will.
6. To foster the development of creative leadership in home and community.
7. To provide wholesome individual and group recreation.
8. To further interest in home economics.



Sponsor
MILDRED TATE



President
ANNA RUTH KING

Science Club

The Science Club is composed of students who are interested in Science and who also qualify for membership by maintaining a high scholastic average in science and mathematics.

In planning its program the club officers and program committee arrange a schedule of regular monthly meetings and present programs of Scientific interest. The members also make field trips to nearby industries and new members are initiated at the annual party.

The sponsors are Mrs. C. C. Bundy and Mrs. James Gilmer.



Sponsors



President
SUE SYKES



FIRST ROW—left to right: Louise Dickenson, Betty Ann Johnson, Connie Yates, Gaynelle Rotliff, Josephine Boyd—Reporter, Ann Johnson—Treasurer, Chorlene Sutton—Secretary, Irene Robinson, Wilmo Smith, Doris Herndon, Leodo Potrick, Betty Jo Compbell. SECOND ROW: Genevieve White, Evelyn Hubbard, Betty Jo Jessee, Lillian Hortsock, Nency Jessee, Mary Lou Sneod, Louise Jessee, Borbara Bundy, Frances Honson, Frances Most, Potsy Combs, Russell Borton, Borboro Skeens, Arlene Brown. THIRD ROW: Betty Hubbard, Glenno Hannah, Catherine Jackson, Nency McReynolds, Violetto Former, Doris Owens, Betty Hale, Louise Breeding, Potsy Pless. FOURTH ROW: Clyde Yotes, Donny McReynolds, Foyne Former, Jimmy Elliott, Charles Bundy—V. Pres., Eddie Cox, Kenneth Cook, Linton Dowson, G. B. Fletcher, Tony Frye, Billy McForlone, Charles Burdette.

Future Farmers of America



FIRST ROW—left to right: Eddy Cox, James Farmer, Donnie Campbell. SECOND ROW: Eugene Harrison, Layde Williams, Billy Nunley, Elmer Mitchell, Billy Littan, Raymand Staplan, Charles McFarlane.

The Future Farmers of America or F.F.A., as it is commonly called, is a national organization of farm boys studying vocational agriculture in public secondary schools under the provisions of the National Vocational Education Acts.

There are four degrees of active membership: "Green Hand," "Future Farmer," "State Farmer," and "American Farmer." Each degree is awarded according to accomplishments in the agriculture program of the organization.

The aim and purpose of the F.F.A. is to develop agricultural leadership, cooperation and citizenship.

The sponsor of this club is Taylor Skeen.



Sponsor



President
Clyde Yates

4-H Club

The 4-H Club is an organized group of young people whose activities are under the guidance of county extension workers. The members elect their own officers, plan and conduct their own programs, hold regular meetings, and take part in community improvement.

The sponsors are Mary Virginia Fletcher and B. O. Porterfield.



Sponsor



Sponsor



President
ANNA RUTH KING



FIRST ROW—left to right: Babby Roines, Poul Phelps, Lorry Brown, Roger Gorrett, Anna R. King, Charlotte Burns, Babby Green, Lynda Compbell, Morion Pratt. SECOND ROW: Dolon King, Johnny Fanis, Jimmy Gibson, Jimmy Hawkins, Clinton Hedrick, Perry Warner, Jewel Caok, Jimmy Fields, Lorry Rasnake. THIRD ROW: Peggy Hormon, Betty Boyd, Corolyn Hurt, Connie Bowles, Betty Davis, Louise Mitchell, Jon Combs, Bobby Edmands, Coin Nickels, Charles Edmonds, Judy Jesse, Etto Bowles.

Student Cooperative Association



FIRST ROW—left to right: Frances Mast, Gaynelle Ratliff, Nancy Jessee, Violetta Farmer, Fayne Farmer, Betty Duty, Barbara McReynolds. SECOND ROW: Mary Carol Jessee, Darathy Fanis, Betty Lou Powers, Russell Barton, Sue Sykes, Irene Rabinsan, Ann Gilbert, Bobby Marrison, Robert Pruner, Charles Burdette. THIRD ROW: Linda Jenks, Nancy Harcum, Becky Aldersan, Charles Bundy, Danny McReynolds, Arlene Brown, Anna Ruth King, Eddy Cax.

The program of activities of the Student Cooperative Association is a potent factor in helping students realize that as citizens of their school each one has duties and obligations to be shared, as well as privileges to be respected. The entire scope of the S.C.A. activities is guided by the principle of cooperation.

The most worthwhile and cooperative project of the 1954-55 S.C.A. was the presentation of the Christmas pageant followed by the celebration of White Christmas. This project was accomplished by the cooperative effort of pupils in every room, every club, the choir, a few grade children, some parents, and the teachers.



The Sponsor is Blanche Campbell
 Vice President _____ Fayne Farmer
 Secretary _____ Violetta Farmer
 Sponsor



President
 Elwood Morrison

Trail Blazer

The Trail Blazer is the school newspaper published by the Journalism Class. Its purpose is to inform and unite our students in the common interest for the betterment of L.H.S.

The sponsor is Mrs. Charles Hayes Gilmer.



Sponsor



Editor
Dorothy Fanis



Left to right: Ben Valley—Sports Editor, Kenneth Ferguson—Sports Editor, Betty Ann Jahnsan—Dorothy Fanis—Editor, Sue Sykes, Wilma Smith, Bannie Garrett, Mary Lau Snead, Peggy Pratt.

Drivers Training Club



FIRST ROW—left to right: James Farmer, Jane Hawkins, Phyllis Dawson, Emma Jean Witt, Shelby Fields, Bobby Osborne. SECOND ROW: Geynelle Ratliff, President, Wilma Fanis, Charles McFarlane. THIRD ROW: Eugene Harrison, Lexie Chafin, Larnea Litton.

The Driver's Ed. Club is composed of 14 members headed by Pres. Gaynell Ratliff. The other officers are Phyllis Dawson, Vice Pres. Wilma Fanis, Sect. Charles McFarlane, Treas.

Our objectives are to promote better driving practices among the young and old alike, to make our community accident free and a safer place in which to work and play.

Our projects during the year have been National Safe drivers day, a float in the homecoming parade and the third floor bulletin board. Lets have more members and a better club next year is our theme song.

The sponsor is Buddy Poole.



Sponsor



President
GAYNELLE RATLIFF

Latin Club

This year the Latin Club became members of the National J.C.L. They proudly display their charter in their room and are just as proud to be seen wearing their National J.C.L. pins on all occasions.

The Latin Club had planned to have a dinner party before Christmas, but with the coming of the holidays they decided that they would take the money they would use for their party to give a White Christmas to a needy shut in. The joy the box brought to their selected shut in fully repaid them for the loss of the good time they themselves were anticipating.

The sponsor is Mrs. A. T. Griffith.



Sponsor



President
ARLENE BROWN



Left to right: Charles Bundy, Fayne Farmer, Barbara Bundy, Ja Bayd, Glenna Hannah, Walter Harcum, Betty Hale, Patsy Cambs, Jack Farmer.

Safety Patrol



FIRST ROW—left to right: B. Wolls, J. Brogg, A. White, J. Gibson, C. Edmonds, M. Kiser. SECOND ROW: O. Sims, F. Hanson, H. Horn, D. Hughes, Z. Combs, C. Gross. THIRD ROW: D. Combs, W. Fuller, B. Sword, W. Fields, R. Fonis, J. Foulkner, B. Price, J. Givens. FOURTH ROW: V. Garrett, J. Vicors, J. Pruner, R. Brown, J. Yotes, J. Horn, C. Yotes. FIFTH ROW: E. Ashbrook, J. Ferrell, J. Hole, B. Losley, L. Rosnoke, D. Gross, A. Robins, R. Cook, C. Sneod.

The Safety Patrol is made up of members from the upper elementary grades. The purpose of this club is to help provide for the safety and protection of the students at school and in crossing streets. Its members are very helpful in parking cars at all athletic functions.

Every good citizen will observe the regulations of this fine organization and will do his or her part in helping to create respect for its policies.

The sponsors are Mabel Campbell, Mrs. Roy Smith and Mrs. Ira Quillen.



Sponsors



Choir

The Lebanon High School Choir has made rapid strides since its organization five years ago.

During the school year it has performed at many functions both social and civic. They have made a fine impression on the people who have heard them. The annual White Christmas program featured beautiful Carols sung by the Choir in the traditional festive manner.

Members of the Choir have been very cooperative and have shown a fine spirit of cooperation. Our school should feel proud to have such an outstanding organization on our campus.

Officers:

President _____ Barbara McReynolds
 Secretary & Treasurer _____ Betty Ann Campbell
 Social Chairman _____ Barbara Faulkner
 Librarian _____ Evelyn Raye
 Director Mr. Manuel Arellano, a graduate of Concord College.



President



FIRST ROW: left—right—Evelyn Ray, Barbara McReynolds, Betty Ann Campbell, Barbara Faulkner. SECOND ROW: Director Manuel Arellano, Russell Barton, Linda Braaks, Wilma Jean Smith, Louise Jessee, Connie Yates. THIRD ROW: Carrie Lee Dixan, Louise Taylor, Patricia Marrison, Betty A. Davis, Rose Lee Steele, Phillis Mitchell, Patsy Pless. FOURTH ROW: Jaunita Davis, Peggy Phelps, Peggy Breeding, Betty Ja Jessee, Chubby Hubble, Olline Castle, Shirley Wallace, Linda Campbell. FIFTH ROW: Patty Sue Browning, Faye Crass, Janice Francisca, George Breeding, Ann Jahnsan, Danny McReynolds, Anna Ruth King, Betty Hubbard, Rebecca Aldersan.



FIRST ROW—left to right: Mr. M. Arellono, N. McReynolds, S. Stoots, B. Clark, M. C. Jessee, C. Powers, G. Monk, E. Bowles, N. Horcum. SECOND ROW: Jr. Davis, A. Wysor, C. Sutton, L. Jenks, M. Howard, H. Johnson, L. Bousell, R. Hughes, C. Hedrick, B. Worner. THIRD ROW: K. Former, F. Honson, E. Jackson, C. Burns, J. McReynolds, J. Gibson, D. Fuller, B. Greene, J. Alderson, M. Lowe. FOURTH ROW:

The Lebanon High School Band under the direction of Manuel Arellano has played many engagements through-out this area during the past year. The annual spring concert, drew a large audience and it is hoped that students will continue to show



FIRST ROW—left to right: Shirley Stoots, Connie Powers. SECOND ROW: Mory Lou Volley, Mary C. Jessee, Etto Bowles. THIRD ROW: Glenno Monk, Nancy Harcum, Nancy McReynolds, Betty Clark.



J. Elliott, C. Hurt, D. Porterfield, K. Renick, J. Jessee, J. Pruner, K. Jessee, C. Jackson, J. Fields, L. Brown.
FIFTH ROW: J. Former, T. Frye, J. Burns, F. Most, V. Worshom, R. Pruner, P. Shrader, B. Bausell, J. Boyd, D. Robinette.

interest to keep the organization moving in it's sixth year, 1956.

The '55 musicians pictured above only compose the Marching Band while some 40 younger students are progressing rapidly in the Beginning Band.

Trophies and Officers



LEFT TO RIGHT: Ann Wysor, Potty Shroder, Billy McForlone, Mr. Arenollono, Director, Jessie Alderson, Jr. Davis, Velvo Worshom.

Beginning Band



LEFT TO RIGHT: S. Stoots, Bowles, Richerson, Perry, Brooks, Howard, Davis, Jessee, Mitchell, Honoker, McReynolds, Gibson, Gibson, Price, Johnson. Left to right: Elliott, Steele, Johnson, Renick, Hormon, Combs, Brown, Howkins, Lowe, Borton, Borton, Gilmer, Holliday, Former, Gilmer, Williams, Whited, Cozzolino.

Pioneer Staff



FIRST ROW—left to right: Carrie Lee Dixan, Arlene Brown, Lynda Jenks, Betty Lau Powers, Violetta Farmer, Glenna Mank. SECOND ROW: Wilma Fanis, Gaynelle Ratliff, Russell Bartan, Velva Warsham, Nancy Jessee. THIRD ROW: Jeff Boyd, Eddie Cox, Geneva Dean.

One of the objectives of the Pioneer Staff this year is to give a complete record of the years work. This year for the first time the book gives an all year coverage of the events as they happened.

The staff endeavored to bring to you a better yearbook, and one that will help you to remember days spent in 1954-'55 at Lebanon High School.



Editor
Lynda Jenks



Sponsor



Is it

how we excel

Honors Features



Jaunita Davis
Homecoming Queen

Attendants



Patty Shrader



Ann Wyson



Frances Mast



Nancy McReynolds

Campus

Most Studious



*Sue Sykes
Elwood Morrison*

Most Popular



*Patty Shrader
Ben Valley*

*Wilma Smith
Tommy Burns*



Romeo and Juliet

*Lynda Jenks
Elwood Morrison*



Most Versatile

Personalities

Most Artistic



Charlotte Patrick
Billy Hedrick

Mary Lou Snead
Billy Hedrick



Neatest

Friendliest



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Charles Burdette

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Billy McFarlane



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*Patty Shrader
Ben Valley*

Most Dramatic



*Barbara McReynolds
Charles Burdette*

	Glenna Hannah
Most Studious	Fayne Farmer
	Evelyn Raye
Most Popular	Charles Bundy
	Betty Davis
Romea and Juliet	Jim Perry
	Betty Duty
Most Versatile	Charles Bundy
	Velma Vencille
Most Artistic	Kenneth Ferguson
Most Ladylike	Betty Duty
Most Gentlemanlike	Charles Bundy
	Ja Boyd
Friendliest	Johnny Jenks
	Ann Johnson
Neatest	Jahnnny Jenks
	Jo Bayd
Most Dependable	Fayne Farmer
	Emma B. White
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*Sue Sykes
Billy McFarlane*



*Most Ladylike and
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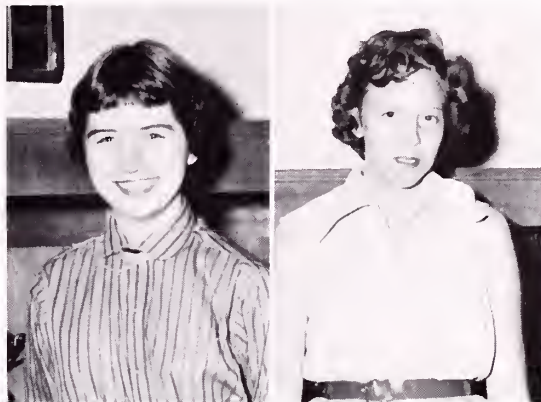
Who's Who at L. H. S.

Prose Winners



Frances Mast, Charles Bundy

Spelling and Poetry Winners



Geneva Dean, Babbie Green

Speech Winners



Ann Wysar, Fayne Farmer

Delegates to S. I. P. A.



Jimmy Elliott, Bobbie Green, Jeff Boyd, Arlene Brown, Frances Mast

One Act Play Cast



FIRST ROW: Arlene Brawn, Catherine Jackson, Barbara Faulkner. SECOND ROW: Kenneth Cook, Fayne Farmer, Charles Bundy.

Grade Tournament Winners



7th grade—Sammy Slate, Rachel Farmon. 6th grade—Carol Snead, Susie Hall. 5th grade—Richard Fannis, Peggy Harmon.

Winners in County and District

Basketball Winners and Trophies for County and District



FIRST ROW—left to right: Bill Nunley, Ben Volley with District Trophy, Elwood Morrison with County Trophy, Jimmy Perry with Stote Sportsmanship Trophy, Kenneth Ferguson.

Winners in Forensic Contests

Left to right: Charles Bundy with Prose Trophy, Bobby Green with Poetry Trophy, Frances Most with Prose Trophy for girls, Fayne Former with Speech Trophy for boys.





Dorothy Fanis—May Queen
Don Cross—May King



Patsy Combs
Kenneth Ferguson
Junior Attendants



Frances Mast
Kenneth Addison
Sophomore Attendants



Shirley Smith
Leon Fields
Freshmen Attendants

Etta Bowles
Roger Edmonds
7th Grade Attendants



Marilynn Price
Maid of Honor





Patsy McReynolds
Buford Ferguson
Sixth Grade Attendants



Jan McReynolds
Frank Hanson
Fifth Grade Attendants



Jennie Pruner
Ole Renick
Fourth Grade Attendants



Adrenia Farsythe
Charles Hurt
Third Grade Attendants



Betsy Jenks
Rannie Brawn
Second Grade Attendants



Carolyn Keene
Charles Hargis
First Grade Attendants



Bettye Ann Campbell

Senior Queen

Charles Burdette - Senior King

*Miss Junior
Jo Boyd*



*Miss Sophomore
Nancy Jessee*



*Miss Freshman
Mary Carol Jessee*



May Day Activities





Is it how

we play

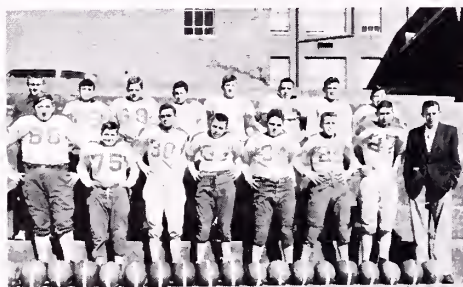
Athletics



FIRST ROW—left to right: Caach Paole, D. Yates, J. Slate, B. Littan, B. Baardwine, E. Vencille, C. Shae-maker, C. Yates, E. Cox, J. Jenks, B. Jessee, Caach Flannagan. SECOND ROW: J. Bawles, T. Frye, D. Johnsan, J. Davis, K. Ferguson, J. Perry, B. Valley, E. Marrison, J. Elliott.

The football season opened with Abingdon here and our lads gave a very creditable performance, although losing 26 to 13. The squad was one of the largest in number in the history of the still young program. This is an indication to the coaching staff of a brighter future for football at L.H.S. It would be fine for as many youngsters as possible to report again in August in order to get football up to its proper place with the other athletics and activities in which we place so highly.

Jr. Varsity



FIRST ROW—left to right: J. Slate, T. Vencille, T. Hawkins, T. Frye, C. Shoemaker, B. Jessee, H. Mutter, Caach Flannagan. SECOND ROW: Manager J. Bawles, P. Fields, R. Pruner, H. Davis, J. Duty, B. Warner, R. Jackson, D. Jahnsan.



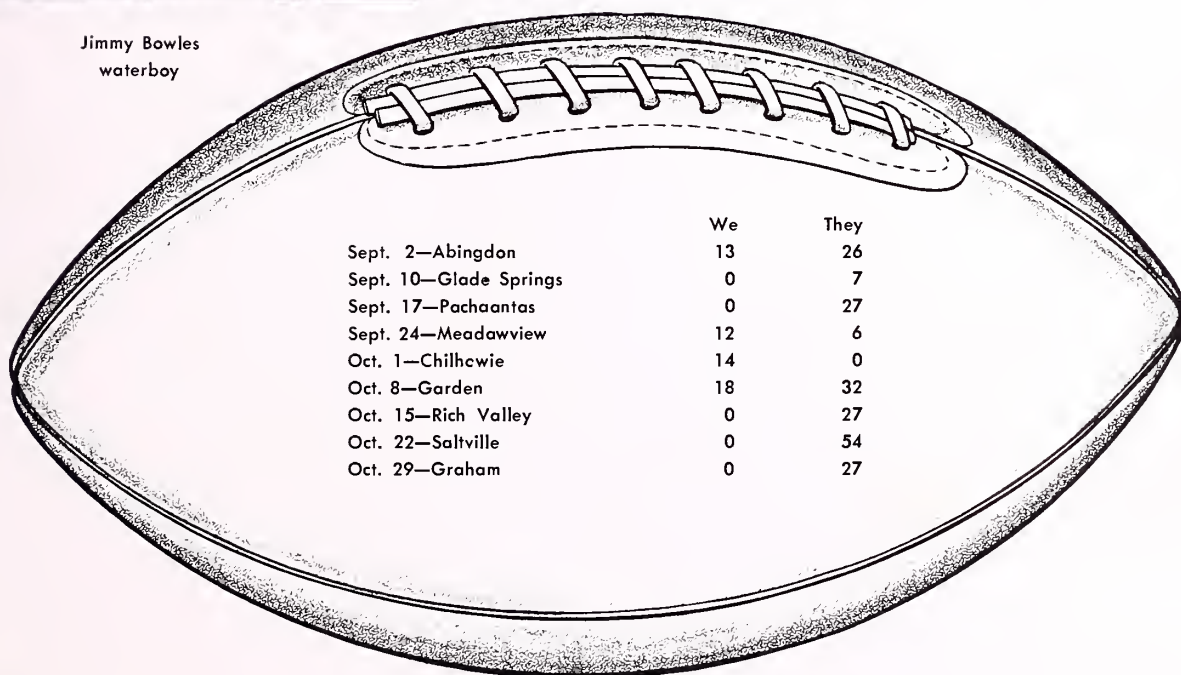
ball



Jimmy Bowles
waterboy



Captain ----- Clyde Yates
Caach ----- Buddy Poale
Ca-captain ----- Elwaad Marrison



	We	They
Sept. 2—Abingdon	13	26
Sept. 10—Glade Springs	0	7
Sept. 17—Pachaantas	0	27
Sept. 24—Meadawview	12	6
Oct. 1—Chilhewie	14	0
Oct. 8—Garden	18	32
Oct. 15—Rich Valley	0	27
Oct. 22—Saltville	0	54
Oct. 29—Graham	0	27

Basket



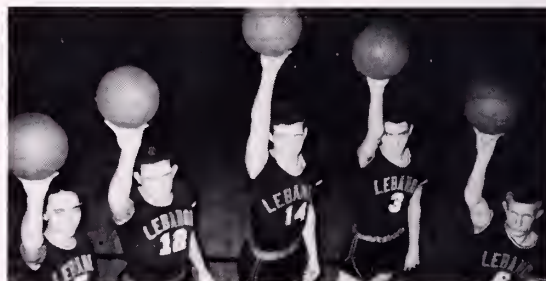
FIRST ROW—left to right: Ben Valley, Coach Buddy Poole, Kenneth Ferguson. SECOND ROW: Dallard Yates, Kenneth Martin,* Bobby Stoots, Johnny Jenks, Jim Perry, Elwood Morrison, Eddy Cox, Bill Dye, J. W. Addison, Henry Nunley, Billy Nunley, Robert Purner.

Schedule

Lebanon	47	Haysi	46	Dec. 3
Lebanon	59	Saltville	41	Dec. 10
Lebanon	59	Castlewood	50	Dec. 14
Lebanon	54	Grundy	48	Dec. 17
Lebanon	60	Richlands	58	Dec. 21
Lebanon	50	Wallace	31	Jan. 4
Lebanon	51	Garden	49	Jan. 7
Lebanon	60	Wallace	35	Jan. 11
Lebanon	42	Richlands	43	Jan. 13
Lebanon	74	Saltville	46	Jan. 14
Lebanon	45	Grundy	63	Jan. 21
Lebanon	63	Cleveland	65	Jan. 25
Lebanon	88	Abingdon	63	Jan. 28
Lebanon	68	Castlewood	59	Feb. 1
Lebanon	68	Garden	69	Feb. 4
Lebanon	66	Honaker	69	Feb. 8
Lebanon	47	Honaker	40	Feb. 11
Lebanon	65	Cleveland	62	Feb. 15
Lebanon	42	Abingdon	40	Feb. 18
Lebanon	56	Haysi	61	Feb. 22



Left to right: Ben Valley, Co-Capt., Coach Buddy Poole, Coach Jimmy Flannagan, Kenneth Ferguson, Co-Capt.



ball

Lebanon...64	Haysi	50	Dec. 3
Lebanon...79	Saltville	54	Dec. 10
Lebanon...74	Castlewood	58	Dec. 14
Lebanon...59	Grundy	62	Dec. 17
Lebanon...70	Richlands	57	Dec. 21
Lebanon...72	Garden	61	Jan. 7
Lebanon...66	Graham	60	Jan. 11
Lebanon...51	Richlands	49	Jan. 13
Lebanon...79	Saltville	47	Jan. 14
Lebanon...59	Grundy	72	Jan. 21
Lebanon...65	Cleveland	78	Jan. 25
Lebanon...70	Castlewood	61	Feb. 1
Lebanon...77	Garden	68	Feb. 4
Lebanon...72	Honaker	71	Feb. 8
Lebanon...59	Honaker	71	Feb. 11
Lebanon...89	Cleveland	88	Feb. 15
Lebanon...71	Graham	55	Feb. 17
Lebanon...70	Haysi	62	Feb. 22



FIRST ROW, left to right: Ann Wysor, Evelyn Ray, Iris Hughes. SECOND ROW: Catherine Jackson, Faye Cross. THIRD ROW: Barbara Faulkner.



Left to right: Patty Shrader—Co-Captain, Mrs. Rice—Coach, Lynda Jenks—Co-Captain.



FIRST ROW—Left to right: J. Boyd, M. Jessee, M. Valley. SECOND ROW: N. Harcum, O. Castle, P. Shrader, B. Duty, E. White, G. Monk, J. Jenks. THIRD ROW: R. Booher, M. Sanders, C. Burns, E. Gilbert, L. Jessee, W. Fanis. FOURTH ROW: C. Sutton, A. King, N. McReynolds, P. Gray, S. Smith, L. Gray, M. Breeding, P. Rasnake. FIFTH ROW: S. Robinson.

Volley Ball



Shirley Smith ----- Co-Captain
 Mrs. Rice ----- Coach
 Barbara Bundy ----- Co-Captain

Volley Ball is a sport enjoyed by all girls who have an interest in sports. Any number of players can play this game. Our co-captains this year were Shirley Smith and Barbara Bundy. Mrs. Rice was coach.



FIRST ROW—left to right: Shirley Smith, Joyce Orr, Frances Jones, Judy Booher, Emma Bell White. SECOND ROW: Juonita Davis, Betty Duty, Barbara Bundy, Louise Jessee, Nell Wise. THIRD ROW: Faye Cross, Betty Davis, Jo Boyd, Chubby Hubble, Rachael Gibson.

Softball



FIRST ROW—left to right: Shirley Smith, Joyce Orr, Judy Booher, Frances Jones, Emmo Bell White, Betty Duty. SECOND ROW: Louise Jesse, Borboro Bundy, Betty Davis, Jo Boyd, Foye Cross, Chubby Hubble, Rachel Gibson. THIRD ROW: Juanito Davis, Mrs. Rice, Nell Wise.

Softball is a favorite sport with the girls of Lebanon High School. Under the direction of our coach, Mrs. Rice, we compete mostly among ourselves. The games that have been played with other schools of the County have been victorious.

In recent years the girls have done much to encourage the growth of softball. When spring comes they look forward to the softball games once more.



Coach—Mrs. Rice and Co-Captain—Jo Boyd.



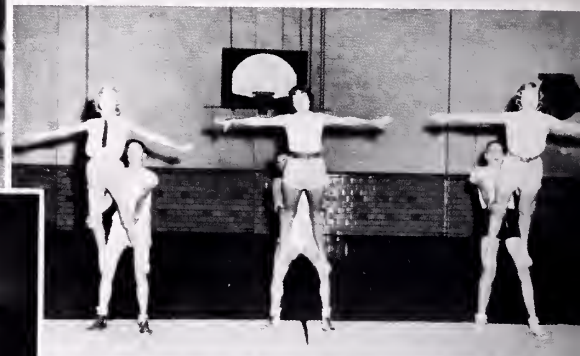
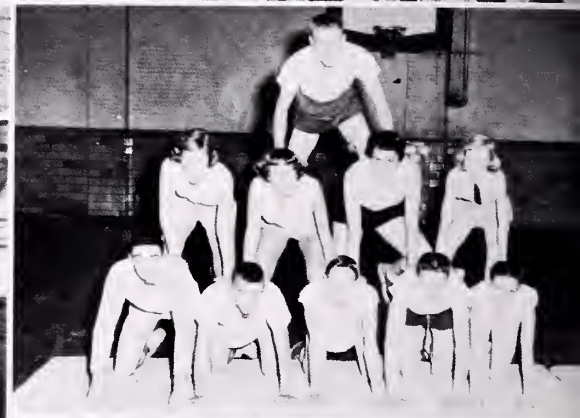
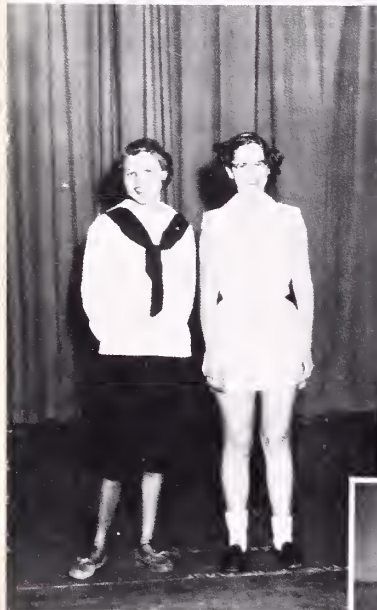
Schedule

Lebanon... 20... Walloce	5	April 1
Lebanon... 15... Honoker	0	April 5
Lebanon... 8... Abingdon	7	April 8
Lebanon... 12... Cleveland	4	April 12
Lebanon... 4... Bristol	6	April 15
Lebanon... 13... Costlewood	4	April 19
Lebanon... 10... Hanaker	5	April 26
Lebanon... 8... Bristol	7	April 29
Lebanon... 12... Costlewood	5	May 2
Lebanon... 18... Wolloce	2	May 6
Lebanon... 2... Cleveland	4	May 10
Lebanon... 3... Tozwell	4	May 13
Lebanon... 4... Abingdon	1	May 17
Lebanon... 1... Tozwell	0	May 18



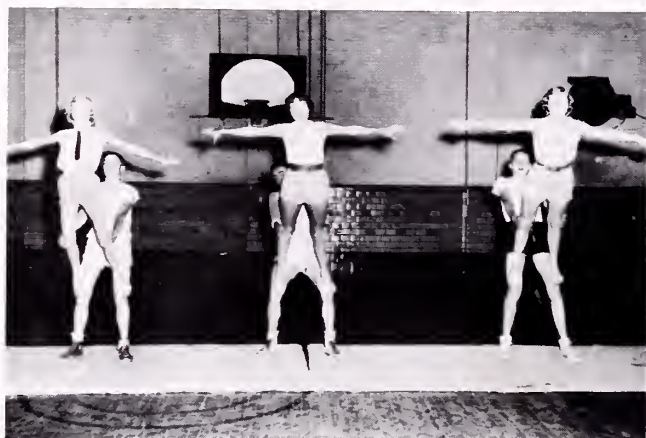


FIRST ROW—left to right: D. Johnson, T. Vencille. SECOND ROW: K. Ferguson, D. Yates, J. Perry, J. Davis, B. Valley, B. Nunley, E. Morrison, Coach Flannigan. THIRD ROW: D. Yates, B. Jessee, B. Boardwine, E. J. Vencille, C. McFarlane, L. Profitt, B. Litton. FOURTH ROW: F. Farmer, T. Frye, L. Fields, R. Jackson, B. Cox, H. Nunley, C. Yates.

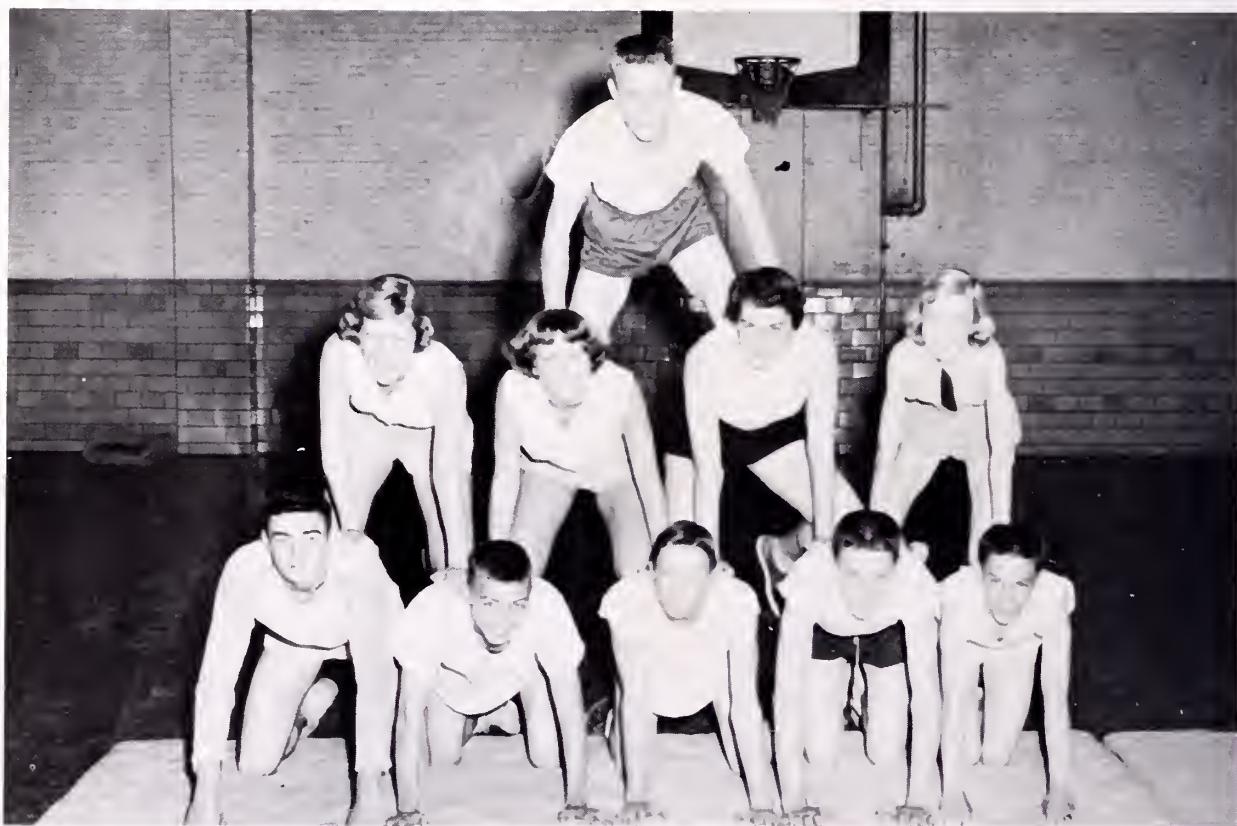




Tumbling



Harry Lee Johnson ----- Co-Captain
Mr. Poole ----- Coach
Mary Carol Jessee ----- Co-Captain



FIRST ROW—left to right: Jim Perry, Kent Lee Jessee, Dickie Johnson, Johnny Jenks, Harry Lee Johnson. SECOND ROW: Charlotte Burns, Mary Carol Jessee, Mary Jane Howard, Kitty Renick. THIRD ROW: Jimmy Bowles.

1955



Graduation



Valedictorian

Glenna Monk



Salutatorian

Velva Worsham



Baccalaureate Speaker

Rev. Carroll Skeen



"TODAY ENDS, TOMORROW BEGINS"
Elwood Morrison



"EDUCATION AND OUR PLANS"
Betty Lou Powers

Commencement Theme

"We Look To Tomorrow"



"LET US HAVE OUR DREAMS"
Glenna Monk



"YOUTH, DEMOCRACY AND PEACE"
Eddy Cox



Induction of Class of 1956

To the class of 1956 we turn in hopes and confidence, trusting them with the leadership we now relinquish. Your responsibility is great. You this day become the Seniors of L.H.S., a link to bind all the fine traditions and ideas of the past of this institution to a still more glorious future in all that is to follow.

I invite your attention to the great seal of our school. Encircling the figure is to be found a wreath, one half of olive leaves, the other of oak leaves.

The olive leaf is a symbol of peace. As a citizen of a great democracy, let the love of peace be a vital part of your education. Encourage it in the hearts of all men for it is an integral part of the philosophy of the school you represent.

The oak leaf is a symbol of strength and beauty. We recommend that you always recognize mind over might. Guard your bodies by due consideration of their needs and limitations, endeavoring at all times to refrain from that which is harmful and unclean. Keep ever in mind that the body is the temple of the soul—likewise, a link with God. Keep it nourished with truth—ever seeking and climbing toward the Eternal Goodness.

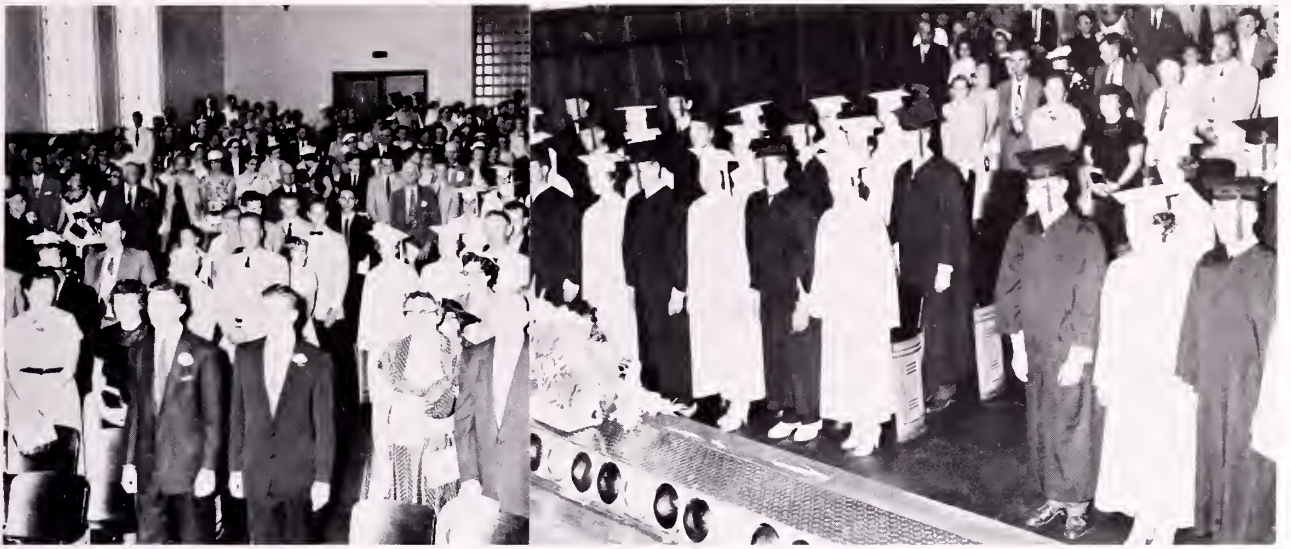
The crossed-guns of our seal remind us of our pioneer forefathers who pushed back the western wilder-

ness to carve for themselves homes. The guns of our seal are for no warlike purpose, nor are they a threat to any person. They admonish us to prepare ourselves for a full and happy life of usefulness.

The next symbol found on our seal is the lowly, but useful axe. It likewise, was a very necessary part of our pioneer ancestor's equipment. By its industrious application homes were built. Symbolically speaking, it is still an important ingredient in the building of homes and nations. Insist upon the earnest application of work, work for a purpose. God himself glorifies work.

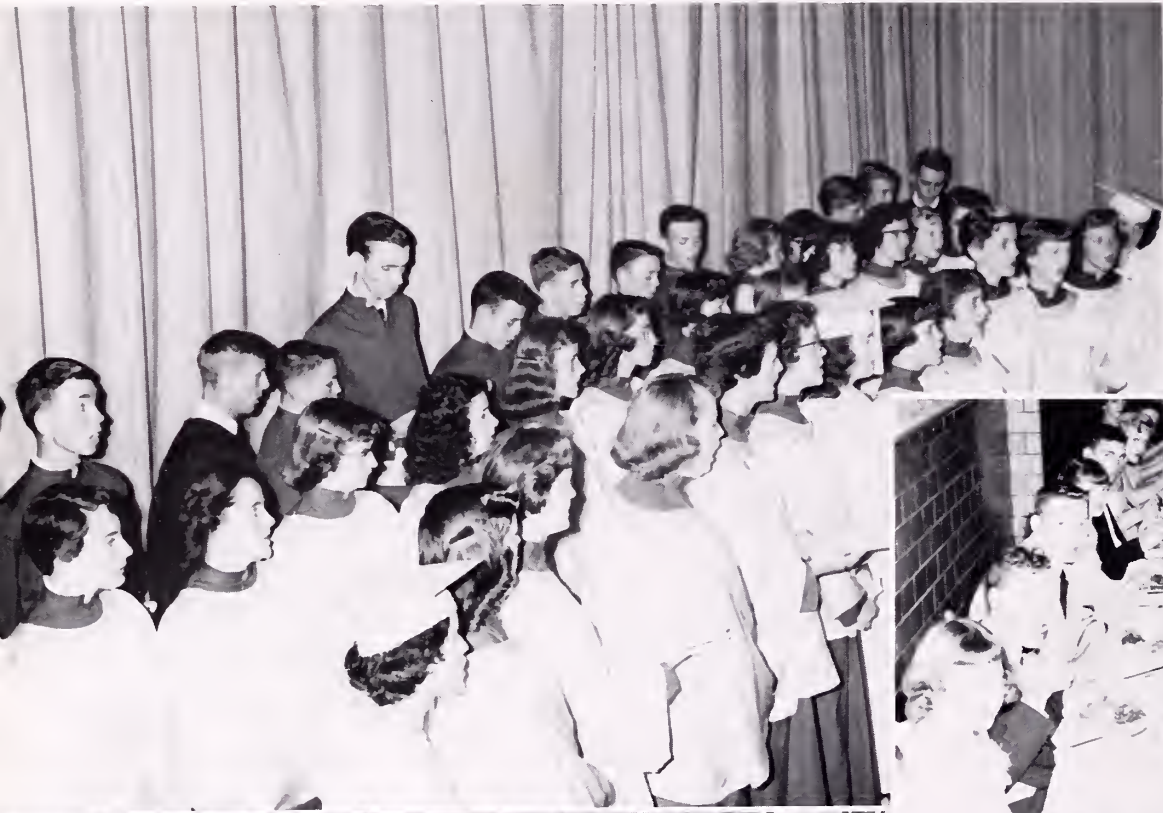
The last movable symbol is the torch—signifying light or knowledge. Let it be your sacred duty to glorify light in your class and entire school. Before light, darkness fades away. Begone knowledge, ignorance, the great curse, disappears. Let Lebanon High School be first of all, an institution of light. The hope of our democracy is, and the hope of the whole world is more light. May you add fuel to its flame and protect it as dear life.

Keeping well these things in mind, we never fear that our motto "Forward, Always Forward" will go unheeded and unpracticed. With this we reluctantly make the Junior Class the Senior Class of L.H.S.



*Supt. G. H. Givens
Awards Diplomas*

Memories We Cherish



Senior Statistics

LOUISE BREEDING

F.H.A. Club 2,3; Latin Club 3; Science Club 4; Library Club 4.

LINDA BROOKS

4-H Club 1,4; F.H.A. Club 2,3,4; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Drivers Ed. 2.

CHARLES A. BURDETTE

Library Club 1,4, President 4; Bond 1,2,3,4; Choir 1, 2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 2; Science Club 2,3,4, Reporter 2, Sec. 3; Popularity Contest 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4; Senior Play 4.

TOMMY C. BURNS

F.F.A. Club 1,2,3,4; Popularity Contest 4.

BETTY ANNE CAMPBELL

Library Club 1,2; Music Club 1,2; Choir 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. Club 1,2,3; Song Leader 3; V. Pres. Home Room 3; Perfect Attendance throughout High School.

DONNIE CAMPBELL

F.F.A. Club 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; K.V.G. Club 3,4, Crew Leader 3.

PEGGY D. CAMPBELL

LEXIE M. CHAFIN

Drivers Training Club 4, Vice President 4.

FRANK J. COOK

F.F.A. Club 1,2,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Glee Club 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3; K.V.G. Club 3.

I. KENNETH COOK

Bond 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Home Room Treas. 1; Delegate to J.S. Day at V.P.I. 1; Choir Sgt. at Arms; Library Club 1,2,3,4.

F. EDWARD COX

Home Room V. President 1,2; Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,4; Home Room Pres. 3,4; Science Club 3,4; Business Manager of Annual 3; S.C.A. Council 3,4; Annual Staff 4; F.F.A. Club 4; K.V.G. Club Crew Leader 4.

DONALD GENE CROSS

Band 1,2,3,4; Foreign Language Club 2.

ALBERT ROY DAVIS, JR.

Band 1,2,3,4; May Day Program 3; Library Club 4; Choir 4; Football Team 4; Senior Play 4.

MARCELLA DEE DAWSON

F.H.A. Club 2,3,4.

ROBERT LINTON DAWSON

Home Room President 2,3; May Day Program 3; Christmas Pageant 3; Science Club 4.

Genevo Dean

F.H.A. Club 3,4, Secretary 3; Basketball Team 3,4; Library Club 4; Annual Staff 4.

JAMES DONALD DORTON

F.F.A. 2,3; Library Club 4.

GERALDINE EDWARDS

Home Room Secretary 1; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Science Club 2; F.H.A. Club 2,3,4, Vice Pres. 4; Reporter Junior Class 3; Senior Play 4.

DOROTHY YVONNE FANIS

Library Club 3,4, Vice Pres. 4; 4-H Club 3; F.H.A. 3; Home Room Reporter 3; President Senior Class 4; Editor of School Paper 4.

VIOLETTA L. FARMER

F.H.A. Club 2,3; Science Club 2,3,4; French Club 2,3, Reporter 3; Library Club 3; Home Room Vice Pres. 4; Secretary S.C.A. 4; Annual Staff 4.

JAMES DOUGLAS FARMER

F.F.A. Club 2,3,4.

NANCY SHELBY J. FIELDS

May Day Program 1; 4-H Club 2,3; Library Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball Team 1; F.H.A. Club 3,4; Drivers Education Club 4.

BONNIE MORRELL GARRETT

4-H Club 1,2,3; Library Club 4.

ROBERT D. HANNAH

F.F.A. Club 1,2,3,4; Senior Play 4.

EUGENE HARRISON

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4.

WILLIAM C. HEDRICK

Home Room President 1; Bond 1,2,3,4; 4-H Club 1; S.C.A. 1,2,3,4; Class President 2,3; Senior Play 4.

EDWARD HOLMES

BETTY MARIE HUBBARD

Home Room Reporter 1; 4-H Club 3; Science Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3,4, Reporter 3; Choir 3,4.

LINDA LEE JENKS

Class Treasurer 1; Bond 1,2,3,4; Basketball Team 1,2, 3,4; French Club 2,3; Monogram Club 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Home Room Vice President 2; Delegate to State S.C.A. Convention 3; Girls' State 4; Editor Of Annual 4; Home Room President 4; S.C.A. Council 3,4; Popularity Contest 4; Senior Play 4; Co-Captain of Basketball Team 4.

CARLIS JOHNSON

BETTY ANN JOHNSON

4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 3; Science Club 4; Circulation Manager for School Paper 4.

ANNA RUTH KING

Homecoming Attendant 2; Chair 2,3,4; May Day Princess 3; F.H.A. 3,4, President 4; 4-H Club 3,4, President 4; Library Club 3,4; Basketball Team 4; S.C.A. Member.

BILLY FRANK LITTON

F.F.A. 2,3,4; Basketball Team 4.

ERMA LORENA LITTON

Library Club 3; Drivers Training Club 4.

Senior Statistics

ANNA JAMES McCLOUD

JOHN LUTHER McFADDIN
F.F.A. 2,3; Senior Play 4.

WILLIAM B. McFARLANE, JR.

Home Room President 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Science Club 1, 2,3,4; S.C.A. 1,2,4; Class Vice President 2; Popularity Contest 1,4; Monogram Club 3; Delegate to Junior Science Day at V.P.I.; Secretary and Treasurer of Senior Class; Senior Play 4.

CHARLES JEFFERSON McFARLANE

Foreign Language Club 2; F.F.A. 3,4; Baseball Team 3; Home Room Treasurer 3; Home Room Reporter 4; Reporter of Drivers Education Club 4.

BARBARA BRADLEY McREYNOLDS

Home Room Treas. 1; Choir 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; Basketball Team 1; F.H.A. 2,3; Home Room Rep. 2; Home Room Vice Pres. 3,4; S.C.A. Member 4; Popularity Contest 4; Senior Play 4.

ELMER RAY MITCHELL

Choir 1,2,3; Class Treas. 1; Vice President 2; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Keep Virginia Green 1,2,3,4; Football Team 2; F.F.A. Club 4; May Day Prince 3.

HOMER ELWOOD MORRISON

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Home Room President 1; S.C.A. 1,4, President 4; Baseball 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Bay State 4.

GLENNA ANN MONK

Basketball 1,4; Tumbling Team 1,2, Monogram Club 2, 3; French Club 2,3; Choir 2,4; Class Secretary and Treasurer 3; Band 3,4, Majorette 4; Senior Play 4; Annual Staff 4.

JAMES WILLIAM NUNLEY

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 4.

SHIRLEY FRANCES OWENS

CHARLOTTE CHRISTINE PATRICK

Annual Staff 3; Popularity Contest 4.

PATSY ANN PLESS

4-H Club 1,2,3; F.H.A. 2,3; Choir 3,4; Science Club 4; Trail Blazer Business Manager 4; Home Room Treasurer 4.

BETTY LOU POWERS

Band 1; French Club 2,3; Vice President 3; Library Club 4; S.C.A. Council 4; Assistant Editor of Pioneer 4.

PEGGY PRATT

Choir 1,2,3; Library Club 2,3; Basketball 2,3; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Song Leader 3; Tumbling Team 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2; F.H.A. Club 2,3; Asst. Circulating Manager of the Trail Blazer 4; Senior Play 4.

MARILYNN PRICE

Science Club 1; F.H.A. Club 4, Secretary 4; Home Room Secretary 4.

JENNIE FRANCES SARGENT

PATRICIA JANE SHRADER

Class President 1, Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Class Secretary 2; Miss Saphamare 2; All State Band 2,3; May Day Court 2; French Club 2,3; Monogram Club 2,3,4; Science Club 2,3; All County Basketball 3,4; S.C.A. 1,3, Vice President 3; Miss Junior 3; Popularity Contest 3,4; Homecoming Attendant 4.

WILMA JEAN SMITH

F.H.A. Club 1,2,3; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Home Room Vice President 1; 4-H Club 1,2,3; Chair 3,4; Home Room Secretary 4; Assistant Editor of School Paper 4; Popularity Contest 4.

MARY LOU SNEAD

Home Room President 1; F.H.A. 2; 4-H Club 2; Chair 2; Attendant to May Queen 2; Science Club 3,4; Library Club 4; Popularity Contest 4.

RAYMOND STAPLETON

F.F.A. Club 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3.

MARILYN SUE SYKES

Science Club 1,2,3,4; Miss Freshman 1; Science Club Pres. 4; Freshman Class Reporter 1; 4-H Club 1; Home Room Vice Pres. 1; Choir 2; F.H.A. Club 2; Home Room Sec. & Treas. 2; May Court 2; Monogram Club 3; Typist of Annual staff 3; Copy Editor of Trail Blazer 4; Popularity Contest 4.

CHARLENE JESSEE SUTTON

4-H Club 1,2,3,4; Secretary 2; Class Treasurer 2; Chair 2; F.H.A. Club 2,3,4; Band 3,4; Science Club 3,4, Sec. 4; Monogram 3; Basketball Team 4; Library Club 4.

ANNA RUTH SWORD

DORA HESTER TIGNOR

4-H Club 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. Club 2,3,4; Library Club 3,4.

BEN VALLEY

President of Freshman Class 1; Science Club 1; Basketball Team 1,2,3,4, All County 3,4; Baseball Team 1,2, 3,4; All County 2,3; Football Team 3,4; Science Club Sergeant at Arms 3; Popularity Contest 3,4.

LLOYD WHITLEY WILLIAMS

F.F.A. Club 2,3,4; Library Club Reporter 4.

VELVA WORSHAM

Band 1,2,3,4, Sec. 2,3,4; Science Club 1,2,3,4; Library Club 12; Home Room Reporter 1; 4-H Club 1; Popularity Contest 1; French Club 2,3, Sec. 3; Girls Basketball Squad Manager 2; Choir 2,3; Monogram Club 3,4, Sec. & Treas. 4; Home Room Sec. & Treas. 3; Senior Class Reporter 4; Business Manager of Pioneer 4; All State Band Delegate 4; Senior Play 4.

EDITH ANN WYSOR

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